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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

GRAND COMPENSATION TICKET, 1884.

For President, S. J. Tilden, aged 70
(Mentally strong, physically weak).
For Vice President, H. B. Payne, aged 76
(Physically strong, mentally weak).
Or:

1884 NOMINATION DRAMA.

For President, Old Ciphergram.
For Vice President, Standard Oil.
Platform: "There's millions in it."
Stage Manager—The Machine.
P. S.—No admittance behind the scenes except to monopolists.

THE 205th anniversary of the settlement of Maryland will be celebrated by Catholic societies on March 25.

THOSE Colorado snowslides are becoming as frequent and as destructive to human life as the Iowa cyclone.

WE observe, with modestly suppressed emotion, that a great many solid Republicans are getting on the people's train at every station.

MR. WATTERSON has given Mr. Randall to understand that if he and his friends do not accept the Morrison tariff bill theDemocratic party had no arrangement to make with Pennsylvania.

THE Memphis *Avalanche* declares that the South is growing rich and strong under a Protective tariff. This kind of talk will shortly compel the *Avalanche* to slide out of the dear Democracy.

AN edition of Queen Victoria's book is published in this country at five cents a copy. Queen Victoria may now be expected to add her voice to the demand for international copyright.

THE bill abolishing the convict contract labor system as fast as the contracts expire become a law in Ohio on Wednesday. The new law will make a radical change in the Ohio penitentiary.

GOVERNOR HOADLY, of Ohio, says he is not a candidate for anything but good health. He will never be elected, however, until he changes his political associations. They are too malarious for him.

ABRAM HEWITT doesn't believe that wool needs any Protection. But then we must remember that Mr. Hewitt doesn't know much more about wool than a sheep-grower knows of the Buddhist theology.

IT is now learned that Mrs. Langtry and her American admirer, Freddie Gebhardt, have quarreled, and the young man is said to be very much cut up over it. Some people are big enough fools never to know when they are in great luck.

THE Huntingdon Republicans are for Blaine as long as there is a chance of his nomination. They are also for a district convention. The popular Blaine movement in Pennsylvania, like a snow ball increases in size and force as it rolls along.

ST. LOUIS is looking after its water waste, and in seven weeks has cut off 13,000,000 gallons, which was running to waste in the sewers from houses, hydrants and leaking pipes. This is a direct saving of the interest on an addition to the water works costing $1,250,000, and postponed the necessity for adding to the water supply besides.

IF the Blaine men throughout the county are not active, men will be ent to the county convention who are not with the people, and men from the county convention will be sent to the state and district convention. There are some few who are for anybody but Blaine. If the people are that way, then send these men to Harrisburg; if not, then send known and active Blaine men.

Events in Washington.

In three months the forty-eighth Congress has passed, besides the private pension bills, fourteen measures and resolutions. At this rate it would have to sit nine years and four months in order to pass the five hundred and twenty-four favorable reports and Senate bills now awaiting action. But Congress will die of old age in less than a year. So you can imagine what proportion of the work even now pending will be dispatched by the time for adjournment. The Appropriation bills are now coming in and the Morrison tariff bill has at last reached the House in a shape ready for attention. A Democratic caucus will be held in a few days to plan a course on the tariff question.

The opponents of the whiskey bill in the House ridicule the claims of its friends that it has any chance of passing. They say it is too dead to talk of; that when a motion to consider a bill is once defeated it is absurd to try again to get a majority for the measure. A good many Democrats oppose it on the grounds that it is too much of a load for the party to carry.

The House devoted about a week to debate on the Post-office Appropriation bill, over which there have been many acrimonious and partisan tilts. A session was given to private relief bills; notably to that for pensioning a grand-daughter of Thomas Jefferson. The support was based upon patriotic and sentimental grounds, while the opposition claimed to stand on the high platform of principle. Mr. Robinson of Brooklyn, read a long speech with dramatic emphasis. He said he would rather have his name recorded in favor of this bill than in favor of any paper since the Declaration of Independence. Mr. Post of Pennsylvania, one of the opponents of the move took the position that the Jeffersonian principle abhorred any favoritism in legislation. The opposition was also supported by Messrs. Hamond, Millard and Reagan; while Messrs. Lyman, Wise and Woolford were the other advocates of the bill. Constitutional arguments triumphed over sympathy, and sentiment, and the proposed pension was lost.

The Senate galleries complimented Senator Logan the other day by waiting three hours in the pestilential atmosphere of the Senate chamber, to hear his speech on the Fitz John Porter relief bill. The large crowd recalled the exciting political controversies of several years ago, when such orators as Blaine and Conkling, were contending with Thurman and Ben Hill. Senator Logan's speech like the one last year, and that of a previous year, opened with a review of the events of 1862, and the Porter court martial, which he said consumed 45 days, was held by men both learned in civil law, and conversant with military law, and resulted in the discharge of Porter from the Army of the United States. He said the trial now going on was not a trial of the living so much as of the dead, who could not speak; it was a trial of Abram Lincoln, rather than of Fitz John Porter. The Illinois orator knew that he was making a hopeless charge, and as he sat in gloomy silence listening to the final roll call which after twenty years, was reversing history, many who did not share his views sympathized with his chagrin. When the vote was called for there was a scene of excitement. Senator Hawley hoped the majority would spare the Senate from a vote annulling the decision of a court-martial. Senator Conger said it was disgrace enough to have been a member of a body which would pass such a bill. The result was received with a cheer, which was quickly drowned in a storm of hisses. The noise soon subsided, however and the crowd began to pour out of the galleries.

The President gave another Congressional dinner the other day and is yet to give one more. His efforts to have all Congress once as his guests this winter will cost him at least $5,000—a tenth of his annual salary. No other President ever entertained Congress in this wholesale way.

GLADSTONE is still sick. Too much Egypt caused it.

Put Blaine Men on Guard.

The impersonal canvass in behalf of principle created by Mr. Blaine's refusal to assume the position of a candidate, remarks the Philadelphia *Press*, is urged by the opponents of popular rule in the party as a reason for a personal canvass for some seeker for the Republican nomination "As Mr. Blaine is not a candidate," the machine and its workers say in substance, "why waste votes? Why not elect delegates for Senator Logan or President Arthur, or, better still, give us a blank check to fill out at Chicago with an order on the vote of the State of Pennsylvania?"

If the support of Mr. Blaine and the principles he represents began and ended with his personal candidacy there would be some sense in this plea in behalf of eminent Republicans. If nominating James G. Blaine was the only object and his personal support the only motive for the flood of enthusiasm which is sweeping over county after county in Pennsylvania, there might be some plausible excuse for the effort to set this tide to grinding grist for some other candidate. But Mr. Blaine in this canvass is only the representative and uniting centre of broad and powerful influences which would exist without him, and which ought and will control the National Convention of the Republican party without reference to his personal position or his individual attitude. It is no waste of votes for a Republican constituency to cast in his lot with the influences and the principles Mr. Blaine represents, independent of his candidacy.

Enough is already plain in Pennsylvania to show that the friends and supporters of Mr. Blaine are in a majority in the Republican party. They representits vital forces and its principles; they are right; they have the voters with them. By every reasoning and every tradition party control should be theirs. No delegate ought to be elected not in full sympathy with them and ready to support and advance the cause for which Mr. Blaine stands. No other delegates will be elected if Pennsylvania is to send to Chicago men representing a majority of the State they have left and acting with a friendly majority in the Convention they enter.

Any other course, any selection of delegates false to the principle of popular rule or failing in devotion to Mr. Blaine will marshal votes from Pennsylvania in an impotent minority at Chicago, and belie the unanimous sentiment of the State. Right and expediency, the demands of principle and the logic of events alike demand that this Blaine State shall be represented by Blaine men, who can be trusted to name as the next Republican candidate the man faithful to the principles they represent and satisfactory to the voters who sent them to Chicago.

HON. HENRY WATTERSON, the irrepressible, calls the Morrison bill "the horizontal deception bill," and while he is of the opinion that it will pass the house, he thinks the Democratic party doesn't get much when it becomes a law. He adds: "The Democratic party in national convention will, I think, take a much advanced position. I am free to say that I care little what they do. I would prefer to stand off and fight you people at long range rather than follow a party without positives ideas and a fixed policy. I have as many personal friendships in one party as in the other. But this tariff reform is a matter of principle with me. I may be wrong, but believe I am right, and shall go home and continue the battle. I don't care about the cowards or idiots of either party."

ALMOND GROWING is declared to be a failure in Northern California, the fruit blossoming too early and not bearing a full crop. General Bidwell has recently grafted his almond orchard to prunes.

The County Convention.

On Tuesday, the 8th of April, the Republican County Convention will meet in Bellefonte. It will be the most important County Convention that has ever been held in this county because the interests at stake are greater. It is of increasing importance every time a President is nominated as to who that nominee may be, because the country of which he is to become the chief executive is constantly increasing in extent and influence, and at the present time no country excels America in the arts of war or peace, of thrift or genius, or any of the attributes which make up a great State.

It is a foregone conclusion, admitted now even by Democrats, that the nominee of the Republican National Convention will be elected. The present attitude of the Democratic party renders this imperative. This assurance of success. behooves the great party of moral principles to select their best man for President. When the public pulse throbs unanimously for one individual among fifty millions can a mistake be made? Would it be a false policy to choose the man for whom the people have been battling with ever-increasing vigor for twelve years past? That man is not Arthur, nor Logan, nor Lincoln, (although any one of these gentlemen would be acceptable to us as individuals), but it is the brilliant statesman, the magnetic friend and companion, the premier of the Garfield administration, the Plumed Knight, James G. Blaine, of the Pine Tree State.

Stand to your guns, then, Republicans! Vote at the primary elections for Blaine delegates. Pronounce that the delegates to the State Convention shall go instructed. If this is done, your duty as patriots will be accomplished, and whoever may be the nominee of the National Convention will receive your hearty support.

WE have been casting our political orbs over the field of Democratic presidential candidates and of the vast and respectable array spread out before our vision we single out some of the Adams family of Massachusetts as the ones that have the strongest claims for a Democratic nomination. They are, you know, the most intensely respectable family in this country. The great-grandfather, John Adams, was the second president, and his son John Quincy Adams, was the sixth president. Charles Francis Adams, grandson of John, is seventy-five years old, has immense experience and is highly educated. We believe he has three sons living, who are prominent for their genius and learning. Therefore, instead of nominating Ben Butler, turn your attention, Democrats, to the Adams family. Wouldn't it be a brilliant idea to have three presidents from one family! It would be a delicate recognition of this exceptionable instance of remarkable genius descending from father to son to the fourth generation. This is worthy the serious consideration of Democrats.

IN many counties throughout the State the county conventions have been held and the delegates to the State Convention have been instructed to vote for Blaine delegates to the National Convention. In other counties, although the popular sentiment is unmistakably for Blaine, it has been deemed advisable not to instruct the delegates but to trust to their honesty and discretion in expressing the will of constituents. We urge upon the Republicans to adopt the former course. Instruct for Blaine and the vexed Presidential question may be considered satisfactorily settled. President Blaine—how's that?

PAYNE thinks Tilden the greatest patriot of his times, while Tilden thinks Payne is too old to be President. Payne, considering Tilden's sneer, is as humble as Uriah Heep.

SOME observers of the political horizon have suddenly discovered that Mr. Blaine, by having his new book sold only by traveling canvassers, will cover the country with political agents and advisers. This plan has the merit of originality, but how it will inure to the benefit of Mr. Blaine does not yet appear. There are some men who think the cruelest punishment they can inflict on any enemy is to send a book agent to him. In some portions of the country the question, "Which is the greater infliction, the lightning rod man or the book agent?" has been decided by a vote that has been very depressing to the latter, although it takes a great deal to discourage an experienced book agent. In other sections the bootjack, the watchdog and even the shot gun have been used to keep the vender of books from advancing further than the front gate of his intended victim. There is this in favor of the plan, however—if the agents report faithfully Mr Blaine will hear the very worst that his enemies have to say about him. —*Altoona Tribune.*

QUITE a boom has sprung up in the real estate market in Washington, and there is evidence that building will be brisk during the coming season. The Capital is becoming more and more the winter resort of the wealthier classes, many new and costly residences being planned and erected in all parts of the city. In the business portion old landmarks are disappearing to give place to structures of modern design. At present a force of men is engaged in razing to the ground the last part of the old building of the navy department, to allow the substitution in its place of the western section of the new building to be occupied by the state, army and navy departments. This old monument of the past greatness of the city's architecture has stood for months in marked contrast with the completed portions of the new building. Naturally enough, the relic hunters are on the spot to secure specimens from the building for preservation.

Do Not be Deceived.

An effort is now being made to send delegates from Centre county to the Republican State Convention who will further the interests of some other candidate than Blaine for President. There is time enough for the people to defeat this movement. All that is necessary is for the Blaine Republicans in each voting district to organize a movement that will send Blaine men to the county convention. Remember that this is the last opportunity to do your part in nominating the people's choice. Your work must be done at the primaries. You can defeat the machinations of political tricksters, if you will. Each Republican in each district must consider himself personally responsible for the representation from his district. Don't let Centre County be misrepresented—sold out.

VIRTUE is its own reward, and the authorities of the Presbyterian hospital in Philadelphia who refused a check for $2,500 the proceeds of a charity ball, because it was the fruit of the sinful practice of dancing, have already proved it. Some criticism was visited upon them for standing upon such a fine point, but they had the courage of their convictions and stood firm. The result is that they have received a check for $3,000, the donor writing that $2,500 is to supply the place of the check refused, and the additional $500 as an expression of his admiration of the manly adherence to principle that enabled them to stand firm.

SPEAKER CARLISLE favors a revenue "for public purposes." Protecting home industry is a public purpose. Colonel Watterson should search this man immediately. He may have a Protectionist heresy secreted about his clothes, notwithstanding his apparent innocence.

GENERAL NOTES.

Bangor, Me., has again voted down "Standard" time.

London has 28 daily journals, 524 weeklies and over 600 monthly magazines.

Nearly one-fifth of all the children in Providence, R. I., of school age, did not attend school a single day during the year 1883.

A block of ice found on the bank of the Tuscararwas River after the break-up contained five unusually large water snakes frozen fast.

According to the St. Louis *Druggist*, petroleum wells to the number of 2,890 were put down in 1883, against 3,260 in 1882, and 3,552 in 1881.

Boston wants an elevated railroad. The Legislature has given its permission for the erection of the structure, but the City Council is reticent.

Some of the older business men of Cincinnati express alarm that the yield of lard in that city has fallen off 3,296,000 pounds since last season.

A bill has been introduced into the House of Commons to humanize the children, computed at 60,000, who live on barges and in travelling vans.

The property pawned last year at the forty-two French *Monts de Piete* was valued at nearly $10,000,000, of which that pawned at Paris amounted to over $6,000,000.

On January 26, 1884, Dakota had 775 post offices, an increase of 167 during the period from January 1, 1883, and an increase of over 100 per cent since June 30, 1880.

Mr. Magnin, governor of the bank of France, gave a grand reception lately at his official residence on the anniversary of the bank's foundation eighty-four years ago.

The remains of the celebrated tenor, Mario, have been removed to their final resting place in Cagliari, Sardinia, at the expense of the State and the Commune of Cagliari.

The Georgia Baptists propose celebrating the organization of their association at Washington, Ga., next October. At that time they will endow Mercer University with $100,000.

It is said that when the recent tornado blew down the Baptist church in Mt. Carmel, S. C., the pulpit was left standing and the Bible and all the hymn books were left undisturbed.

A hogshead of tobacco having fallen on a Kentuckian and crushed him out of symmetrical proportions, the *Arkansaw Traveler* remarks: "It can't be denied that tobacco taken in large quantities is injurious."

The number of suicides reported from Monaco of late has been so great as to invite a suspicion that some are the invention of the Riviera press which, in the interest of Nice and other towns, is anxious for the suppression of the gambling tables.

The grave of the celebrated Kit Carson is at Taos, N. M., and the Grand Army posts of that territory are about to take steps to erect a suitable monument to his memory. A son of the old mountaineer is in the employ of ex-Senator Dorsey on his cattle ranch.

The *Lancet* thinks that Gen. Gordon owes his successes to having a specially well-balanced mind and being at the same time firm and sympathetic. "He is not one," says the editor, "who has any great love of leaning to what is called 'brilliancy' in exploit."

The only ocean steamers now in service that are 500 feet in length or over are the City of Rome, 546 feet; Servia, 515 feet; Alaska, 500 feet, and Oregon, 520 feet. The Great Eastern is 678 feet long, but her day of usefulness has long been over, and the vessel is now to be used as a coal bunk at Gibraltar.

On the occasion of Baker Pasha's battle at El Teb an English officer placed a revolver to the head of an Egyptian and ordered him to advance. The Egyptian, quietly putting aside the weapon, said, in an astonished tone, "I advance?" adding proudly: "No; I am an Egyptian?" and he took to his heels.

There are forty-five women medical students in Paris, the majority of whom are Selavs. At Liege, says the *Gazette Medicale*, the number has increased to twenty-six. At Geneva there are seven, at Zurich thirty-three, and at Berne twenty-eight. They are fairly well received at France, but not over well treated in Switzerland.

In writing about some old-time doctors, the Boston *Medical and Surgical Journal* says that Dr. Henry Kittredge of Tewksbury was of a family so noted for surgical skill in successive generations that several physicians in New Hampshire applied to the Legislature to have their names changed to Kittredge so as to acquire the hereditary prestige.

Mrs. Moncrieff, an English lady, whose husband was killed at the outbreak of the Soudan affair, is a widow whose case has excited great sympathy, more on account of her talent and beauty than because she has lost her husband. The Queen has given her apartments in Hampton Court Palace, she has been allotted a pension of £100 a year, as much as £1200 has been collected for her, and now a concert is being organized for her benefit.

M. Gustave Trouve, of Paris, has adapted incandescent electric lamps of 4 volts power to brooches, breast and hair pins, and the knobs of walking sticks. These are set with diamonds and rubies, true or false. A large diamond is said to project sufficient light to read by, and the light may be shown or not, at pleasure, by turning a switch. The lamp is connected with a small battery, carried in the pocket, and capable of maintaining the incandescence for a full half-hour.

One of the most curious customs that attract the attention of strangers in Panama is to see the native women walking along the streets smoking long, slender cigars, in much the same fashion as men do here. It is the custom of the people there, and especially of the women, to gather in the public markets as early as sunrise to gossip, talk over affairs while enjoying their morning smoke. As there are few newspapers in Panama and a proportionately small number of readers, the market is the place where the news of the town is to be learned.

Poetry.

HEREAFTER.

When the day is done, my darling,
We can rest;
And that will not be long now, dear,
For in the west
The sun is sinking low, and clouds
Of gold and gray,
In strange weird shapes, like spirits watch
The dying day.

Long hours ago, like some great flow'r
I watched it bud,
And slow unfold, until it threw
A quiv'ring flood
Of slender golden stamens from
Its glowing heart,
And one by one cloud petals grew
And fell apart.
Long hours ago! Oh, love, if I
Could feel and know
When life, this weary life, that's yet
Too swift to go,
Has passed away, that there would come
A time to rest
As perfect as this hour, that brings
All that is best
And noblest in our natures out
How gladly I
Would leave the years to come, and rest
Content to die!
Around me, all around, I see
Those that I love,
Who look beyond this narrow life
To One above,
And gladly onward, upward press
With fearless heart,
While I—O God, for faith to choose
That better part!

Far, far above, one tiny star
Has shyly crept
Into Night's bosom, and the wind
That lately slept
Awakes again, and one wild prayer
Of longing grief
It bears above: "Oh God help Thou
Mine unbelief!"

—*Harper's Weekly*

SHE WOULD ONLY LOVE A TEMPERANCE MAN.

She loved him, but she saw him drunk,
Ah! fearful sight for her to see
And though it broke her heart, she said
That married they could never be.
And other lovers crowded near
To breathe their fond hopes in her ear;
It puzzled me to see her smile
On others while she loved him so,
For none of them were half so brave,
Or handsome, straight and tall as Joe.
I think that that was strange,
Don't you?
But then they all wore badges blue.

Joe went and took the pledge and said
He'd never stain his honor more,
And soon he on his manly breast
The badge of his redemption wore.
And when his darling heard of that
Her faithful heart went pit-a-pat,
She sacked her lovers all and flew
To lay her head against the breast
That wore the blessed badge of blue.
I think that that was sweet,
Don't you?
Oh, bonny, bonny badge of blue.

Were I a girl I wouldn't wed
A man that guzzled rum, would you?
I'd give the chances all to him
Who wore the little badge of blue.
And if he wouldn't wear it, I
Would pin it on and tell him why,
'Twould save us both from grief and woe,
And every misery cold and black.
It made another man of Joe,
And now he's got the inside track.
I think I'm talking sense,
Don't you?
Then wear the bonny badge of blue.

Our Story Teller.

Her Advice.

It was a pleasant picture. The cozy room with its warm, crimson carpet, and the glowing coal fire in the grate; the shaded student-lamp on the pretty table where lay a bit of dainty needle work, and the low wicker chair waiting for the young mother who bent over her baby's crib in the corner.

She had a tender, thoughtful face—had been considered a beautiful girl, and something of a belle before her marriage; but her latent love of home life, together with baby's advent, had rendered her indifferent to the charm of society.

To the man who stepped over the threshold of the door the pretty domestic picture had lost its novelty. He was not a cold or unloving husband, and he was truly proud of his lovely boy; his home was always bright and cheerful, his wife always well dressed and thoughtful of his comfort, but perhaps he did not appreciate it all as a less fortunate man might have done.

He had always been and was now a favorite in society, and found it not at all impossible to enjoy himself outside of his home, even though his wife did not accompany him.

"I wish you would go out more, Laura," he said, now, as he bent over the crib to kiss the little fellow who was a reflection of himself. "I think you would enjoy it."

She smiled quietly and kissed him while she straightened the rose in his button-hole and rearranged his cravat.

"I like to stay at home," she said.

But she did not add what was in her mind, that when she last accompanied him he paid her so little attention that she was forced to play wall-flower, while he drifted hither and thither among a bevy of gay girls like a butterfly among the roses.

"Well, good night, little woman," he returned, carelessly. "Of course you won't think of sitting up for me. "By the way—" this as he was passing from the room, "I wish you would take a stitch or two in the pocket of my gray coat,—I nearly lost my pencil case through a hole this morning."

"Very well," returned Laura, and the door closed behind him.

Half an hour later, while she was mending that particular coat, the front door opened and shut, a light yet firm step came through the hall, and as Laura hastily whisked a tear from her dark lashes, a light tap at the room door was followed by the entrance of an erect, elegant lady, considerably past middle age, who threw aside a long dark cloak and worsted hood, kissed Laura, inspected the sleeping baby, and at last settled herself comfortably in the easy chair which her hostess, with a look of pleased anticipation, had drawn to the fire for her.

This lady was Hector Elliott's mother, and strange as it may seem to those of my readers who are inclined to smile significantly over the word, "mother-in-law." Laura was devotedly attached to her.

"Well, my dear, where is Hector?" inquired the elder lady, warming her slender hands at the cheerful fire and looking straight into Laura's eyes with her own blue-gray orbs.

"At Mrs. Renfrew's party," returned the young wife making a great pretense of adjusting the student lamp.

Mrs. Elliott, Sr., pondered a while and finally spoke out suddenly, yet with a winning sweetness that had made her a favorite in all grades of society since her first advent into long dresses.

"Will you take an old woman's advice, Laura?"

"I will take yours, dear mother Elliott," was the grateful reply, "for it is sure to be good."

"Well, it is this: Go for a while with your husband where he goes The baby is healthy—leave him in Maggie's care, or if you object to that, I will come and stay with him. You used to be a favorite in society—in fact you was the belle of your set when Hector thought himself a lucky man to win you. Accept the very next invitation which you receive, get up one of your old exquisite toilets, and make yourself as charming as possible for the occasion. Don't sit in the corner and play wall-flower all the evening; make yourself agreeable to your former admirers—in fact, my dear, flirt a little."

"Why, mother Elliott!" stammered Laura, as her visitor gave voice to this bit of heresy.

"That sounds like rank treason to you, I know, my daughter; but listen to me; I know my boy Hector—I know his faults as well as his virtues. He loves you truly and is proud of you; but you have devoted yourself to him so utterly that he forgets sometimes that you were not cut out and made especially for him and no other man. I don't ask you to do anything wrong. He flirts with all the pretty girls of his acquaintance; do take your old position. You can do it. I hear inquiries for you often and often by people of culture and brains whose favor is a compliment. Receive company at home. My word for it you will soon have your lover back."

Mother Elliott took her leave after this parting shot, and Laura pondered over her words, and decided to profit by them.

Accordingly, when Mrs. Clair issued invitations for her great party, and young Mrs. Elliott was remembered with her husband, the latter was somewhat surprised when his wife announced her intention of accepting, but only remarked with careless good humor:

"That's right, my dear."

In the meantime, Laura went about her preparation, every now and then consulting her mother-in-law as to the comparative merits of silk and satin; and at last, on the evening of the grand affair, came down into the parlor, where Hector was awaiting her, in a toilet truly perfect, a charming combination of silk and lace, diamonds on the round white arms that had so long been hidden by their matronly sleeves, diamonds about the perfect neck and flashing amid the dusky masses of her hair.

Mother Elliott looked over her complacently; and Hector, after a little gasp of astonishment, exclaimed laughingly:

"You are absolutely dazzling, *meine frau.*"

As the carriage door banged behind them, and the wheels rolled down the street, Mother Elliott went back to the nursery nodding her head eagerly with this remark:

"Now, we'll see!"

That evening Hector Elliott looked on in amazement who had been the presiding genius of his orderly home drew about her the most brilliant people of their set; not mere butterflies of fashion, but men of talent and cultivated women whose names were known in the world of letters.

Every one was delighted with her. Her keen, bright humor, and cultivated, intelligent mind, together with her grace, beauty and perfect breeding were irresistible.

More than one old-time admirer envied Hector Elliott's wife that evening, and the bewildered husband heard comments all about him.

Heretofore no thought of his wife sitting quietly at home had disturbed him as he waltzed with one pretty girl, polkaed with another, promenaded with another, talking gay or half-sentimental nonsense to all indiscriminately.

To-night, however, he forgot his own flirtations in watching his wife's triumphs.

Was she really flirting?

It looked like it when she gave a rose to the gentleman who had taken her in to supper.

She had waltzed three times with young Lansing, who had been half wild over her four or five years ago; and just now Senator Harrington was fanning her, while they discussed literature animatedly.

Hector began to grow indignant. These fellows seemed to forget that she was his wife. He would have the next waltz with her himself.

But by the time he had reached that particular corner, she, in company with her escort, was examining a new volume of poems in another room.

Just once, in the course of the evening, Laura danced with him; but for the rest of the time she took very little notice of her liege lord except to throw him a careless word or smile as they met now and then in the ever shifting throngs.

He was glad to take her home at last; and on the following day, while business held him at the bank, mother Elliott and Laura discussed the party with softly triumphant ripples of laughter.

After that Laura resumed her old place in society to a certain extent.

Her home work was never neglected, no wifely nor motherly duty was forgotten; but young Mrs. Elliott reigned right royally in the brilliant gatherings which had missed her so long.

It took Hector some time to recover his mental equilibrium after the first surprise, and even then he never suspected the plot against him—men are stupid sometimes.

He became envious lest these brilliant characters would win his wife from him, and he straightway became her most ardent and chivalrous lover again, and dropped all idle flirtations.

How I learned all this I cannot tell you, but to this day Laura has never repented taking her mother-in-law's advice, and the sun shines on no happier home, prouder husband, nor more loving wife than you will find on C — street.

Dickens in 1868.

From a lecture by George M. Towle.

From behind the plain, broad writing table a brisk, active figure came forward to greet me with a bright twinkle of the eye, a sunny smile and a hearty grasp of the hand. A remarkably youthful figure, as it first appeared to me, and most jauntily arrayed. The apparel was conspicuous and even foppish. There seemed to be a pervading effect of gold and jewelry rather too lavishly displayed. Coat, vest and trousers were cut in the top of the day's fashion. The cravat was brilliant in color and obtrusive in size. The general impression was that of a dainty and airily-dressed man, to whom a good looking-glass was a very necessary article of domestic furniture.

But I was soon drawn from this rapid contemplation of attire to observe the features and manner of the man himself. Never I thought, had the art of photography more completely failed to catch the true lineaments and expression of its subject than in this instance. Here before me was a face aglow with a bright, healthy, pink and white bloom; a face which, while furrowed with heavy lines when in repose, was yet youthful in its expressive vivacity; a large mouth, about whose corners there seemed always playing a quizzical smile, and hair and beard slightly tinged, indeed, with streaks of gray, yet fine and tawny and curly and arranged with studious care about the broad white forehead, the retreating chin and the delicately tinted cheeks.

But of all the striking features the great beauty of the eyes first attracted and held the visitor. Eyes of the bluest blue; eyes which danced and sparkled with sunniest merriment and yet which quickly softened into serious sympathy; eyes which were brilliant and searching and seemed always to be kindly, though keenly reading the person to whom he was talking, yet which never hardened into sternness; eyes in which, especially, you could discern all the humanity and humor, the noble intellectual possibilities and the manly tenderness of their possessor.

Patent Notes.

Congressional—The leading inventors of the country will meet in convention in Music Hall, Cincinnati, Ohio, on the 25,26 and 27 insts. to take action to prevent pernicious Congressional legislation. The responses received from all parts of the United States indicate the attendance will be very large. All inventors are eligible as delegates, and are cordially invited.

This session of Congress has already become notable by the establishment of one of the strongest and boldest "lobbies" (in the pay of certain large monopolies) known at the Capital for years. Our patent system is now the best in the world, and it has done so much for our country and the welfare of our people, that the inventors may well feel, they should come to the front and save our patent laws, from the ruin threatened them before congress, by these Goths and Vandals in the shape of "monopoly." The reason that the appropriations for the Patent office have been so small and insufficient, is the result of the indifference and apathy of inventors, who have heretofore concerned themselves so little about sustaining actively the most civilizing and progressive institution of our national government. They have taken no active part in the Patent Office affairs, beyond the mere nominal one of individual interest in some individual case. Not contented with their ill gotten gains, these large monopolies, the now active enemies of the inventor, are endeavoring, by Congressional legislation, to rob the honest and industrious inventor of the fruit of his labor and active brain. The remedy for this is in their own hands. Let each inventor use what influence he has with his own congressman, instructing said congressman in what manner he should legislate for the good and benefit of the worthiest of the nation's citizens, and greatest of our public institutions.

New Yorker (who has been 'struck' more than an hour with intellectual Young Lady from Boston): "You say you despise New York men. Then why do you go to New York parties?" Young Lady from Boston: "For a complete intellectual rest."

A Story of Parepa Rosa.

HER TRIBUTE OF SONG AT THE FUNERAL OF A CHILD.

BY MARY FISKE.

It was many years ago that a poor widowed woman, leading a hard life of unending labor, was called on to part with the one thing dear to her—her only child. Mother and daughter had toiled together for fifteen years, and the only bit of sunshine falling into their dark lives was that shed by their loving companionship. But the girl had been always weakly. Under the heart broken mother's eyes she faded and wasted away with consumption, and at last the day came when the wan face failed to answer with a smile the anxious, tear-blinded eyes of the mother. The poor, young creature was dead.

For many months the pair had been supported by the elder woman's sewing, and it was in the character of employer I had become acquainted with Mrs. C. and her story. By an occasional visit to the awful heights of an East Side tenement, where they lived, by a few books and some comforting words, I had won the love of the dying girl. Her grateful thoughts turned in her last hours to the small number of friends she possessed, and she besought her mother to notify me of the day of the funeral and ask me to attend.

That summons reached me upon one of the wildest days preceding Christmas. A sleet that was not rain, and a rain that was not snow, came pelting from all points of the compass. I piled the glowing grates; I drew closer the curtains and shut out the gloom of the December afternoon; I turned on the gas and sat down, devoutly thankful that I had cut all connection with the wicked weather, when an instalment of it burst in upon me in the shape of Parepa Rosa. She was Eurphrosyne Parepa at that time, and the operatic idol of the city.

But even as we congratulated ourselves on the prospect of a delightful day together, here came the summons for me to go the humble funeral of the poor sewing woman's daughter. I turned the little tear-blotted note over and groaned.

"This is terrible," said I; "it's just the one errand that could take me out to-day, but I must go."

And then I told Parepa the circumstances and suggested means of amusement in my absence.

"But I shall go with you," said the great hearted creature.

So she re-wound her throat with the long white comforter, pulled on her worsted gloves, and off in the storm we went together. We climb flight after flight of narrow, dark stairs to the top floor, where the widow dwelt in a miserable little room not more than a dozen feet square. The canvas back hearse, peculiar to the twenty-five dollar funeral, stood in the street below, and the awful cherry-stained box, with its ruffle of glazed white muslin, stood on uncovered trestles in the centre of the room above.

There was the mother, speechless in her grief, beside that box, a group of hard working, kindly hearted neighbors sitting about. It was useless to say the poor woman was prepared for the inevitable end; it was cold comfort to speak to her of the daughter's release from pain and suffering. The bereft creature, in her utter loneliness, was thinking of herself and the awful future, of the approaching moment when that box and its precious burden would be taken away and leave her wholly alone. So, therefore, with a sympathizing grasp of the poor, worn, bony hand, we sat silently down to "attend the funeral."

Then the minister came in—a dry self-sufficient man, with nothing of the tenderness of his holy calling about him. Icier than the day, colder than the storm, he rattled through some selected sentences from the Bible, and offered a set form of condolence to the broken-hearted mother, telling her of her sin in rebelling against the decrees of Providence, and assuring her that nothing could bring back the dead. Then he hurriedly departed, while a hush fell on everybody gathered in the little room. Not one word had been uttered of consolation, of solemn import, or befitting the occasion. It was the emptiest, hollowest, most unsatisfactory moment I ever remember. Then Parepa rose, her cloak falling about her noble figure like mourning draping. She stood beside that miserable cherry stained box. She looked a moment on the wasted, ashy face upturned toward her from within it. She laid her soft, white hand on the forehead of the dead girl, and she lifted up that matchless voice in the beautiful melody:

Angels, ever bright and fair,
Take, O take her to thy care.

The noble voice swelled toward heaven, and if ever the choirs of Paradise paused to listen to earth's music, it was when Parepa sang so gloriously beside that poor, dead girl. No words can describe its effect on those gathered there. The sad mourner sank on her knees, and with clasped hands and streaming eyes the little band stood reverently about her.

No queen ever went to her grave accompanied by a grander ceremony. To this day, Parepa's glorious tribute of song rings with solemn melody, as the most impressive service I ever heard.

Speaking of an old gentleman who gave himself out as "one of them d—n literary fellows:" "But I have never seen any of his writings." "That doesn't astonish me; he only writes posthumous works."

The Desperado and the Puritan.

About the year 1851 the most influential man in San Antonio was an alleged desperado named Bob Augustine. Bob came to San Antonio with a fearful record. He enjoyed the reputation of having killed a dozen or so of men, and was respected accordingly. While he was in San Antonio he did not reduce the census at all, but that was not his fault. He had a seductive way of drawing his eighteen-inch Arkansas toothpick and examining it critically with a sinister smile while humbly requesting the temporary loan of $5. Thus it was that Bob went about acquiring wealth and warm personal friends, but creating no funerals. There were rumors that Bob was playing bluff, but that was after he had marched away.

It was during the reign of Bob Augustine, "the long ranged roarer of Calaveras canyon," as he familiarly called himself, that a young man from Boston, named John Winthrop, came to San Antonio, presumably in search of health, as he brought very little with him. He was far gone in consumption, and nothing but the fact that he had but a short time to live, unless the climate of Western Texas saved him, induced him to come to San Antonio. As everybody carried a pistol, Winthrop did not care to insult public decency by going unarmed. Besides, such a course might as seriously interfere with his restoration to health as putting on a clean shirt.

His Puritan training caused him to revolt at the idea of carrying firearms, so he resorted to artifice. He wore a holster, but instead of keeping a pistol in it, he had his cash funds stored away in it, and nobody was the wiser for it. On the contrary, Winthrop was looked up to by the best citizens just the same as if he was loaded down with deadly weapons. Of course, everybody tried to make the stranger from Massachusetts feel as comfortable as if he was at home; so he was told all about Bob Augustine, the long-ranged roarer, at least ten times a day, and he was advised not to be particular in asking security for the debt in case the roarer wanted to borrow a small loan, unless he (Winthrop) did not wish to regain his health.

The long-ranged roarer sauntered into Winthrop's room at the hotel, but before the desperado could open his mouth or draw a weapon the unfortunate Yankee threw back his coat, and with trembling fingers tugged at his pistol holster to get at his money to appease the would-be assassin. On the other hand, as soon as the roarer saw Winthrop trying to get out his pistol he turned as pale as a ghost. The alleged desperado's knees knocked together, the cold sweat boiled out all over him, and he extended his hand and said tremblingly:

"Don't draw, good Mr. Yankee. I was only trying to fool you. My bold Arkansas heart beats for you, my boy. I jest wanted to teach you a lesson. Never let any durned galoot get the drop on you. If anybody insults you just tell them that Bob Augustine, the roarer, is your friend."

Winthrop, who was more scared, if possible than the roarer, replied:

"Oh, I'll give you what you want," and kept on tugging at the holster, which came unbuckled.

With a yell of dismay the desperado passed out through the window, carrying off the sash, and ran down Commodore street, the principal thoroughfare, with the sash on his neck, howling, "Police! police!" closely pursued by Winthrop, who kept on tugging at his holster, trying to get out his money, he believing that the desperado was running to his room to procure a shotgun with which to commit murder. All that afternoon Winthrop kept on hunting the roarer, to purchase peace on any terms, and the roarer hid himself to avoid the pistol of the Boston man. Next morning the long-ranged roarer of the Calaveras canyon was missing, and Winthrop was the lion of the day for having run off the terror of the Alamo city.

Love's Young Dream.

Detroit Free Press.

"Oose sweet pwecious is oo?"
"I'se oore sweet pwecious."
"O'ose hungry ittle bit?"
"I'se could nibble itey bitsy."
"O'ose sall have lunchy, pwecious"
"Itsy bitsy chicky-wing, sweetsy."
"Tiddy iddy darl,' have a cookey?"
"No, ownest-own—a pickule."

They were not idiots on their way to a retreat for the feeble-minded, or lunatics going to an asylum. They were married lovers, had been married nearly two hours, and were taking their first lunch on the cars. And the rest of the passengers did not rise up and slay them either, which shows the degeneracy into which, as a people, we are fallen.

A Place for Little Gems.

Philadelphia Call.

"There," exclaimed the assistant editor, as he paused in his work, "I call that a little gem."

"What's a little gem?" demanded the managing editor.

"This little piece of verse that I have just knocked off."

"Read it to me," growled the managing editor.

The young man read it and then said:

"I consider it a pretty little gem, if I did write it myself. Where do you think I had better put it?"

"Put it in the waste basket."

TALK about a navy for this country! As soon as one becomes necessary we can organize a navy that will blow every European power off the high seas.

All Sorts.

Financial paradox: With less Cash the credit of South Carolina would be better.

"Have you seen George lately, Charley?" "No; I loaned him five dollars as much as three weeks ago."

"Here's your roast beef, sah," said the waiter; "I served it some time ago." "Oh, indeed? roast beef? Why, so you did. I thought all the time it was a crack in the plate."

"Oh, yes, it was a horrible situation! My husband had disappeared for two years and I did not know whether he was living or dead!" "It was really horrible!" "Just think, it was impossible for me to marry again!"

One of the deacons in a Michigan church appeared in his pew last Sunday with several deep scratches on his face and neck, the presence of which he explained by saying that his mother in-law possessed supernatural powers at times.

Arkansas *Traveler:* At Conway the saloon law went into effect at midnight. A fashionable ball was in progress, and just at twelve o'clock a man ascended the platform and said: "Fellow-citizens, the saloons are opened." Three minutes afterward not a man was in the hall.

J. B. Kerns, of Stokes county, N. C., went there from this State four years ago, since which time his family has been increased by the birth of six children. He has been married to the same wife 18 years, and has 23 living children, 17 of whom are boys and six girls. His wife is 46 and he is 48.

Puck: If a body of matter weighing 256 pounds on the earth surface were removed 240,000 miles, or the distance of the moon, from the earth it would weigh there one ounce; hence if a London *Times* editorial on the Egyptain crisis were to be conveyed to the moon, its weight there would not be more than six ounces.

Burlington *Hawkeye:* "Never leave your clothes on the line all night," remarks the household department of an exchange. Well, yes, it's better to hang them over the back of a chair in your room. Then if you should happen to oversleep a few hours you won't have to go shinning around the back yard grabbing up your raiment.

There was a large boiler of scalding water over a fire in the yard and several black imps playing near it. Suddenly a shrill voice was heard from inside the shanty: "You, George Washington, keep away from dat ar biler. D'rectly you is gwine ter upset de biler and scald yerself to def, an' when you is, you'll be de fust one to say, 'Twasn't me, mammy."

A worldly father, after the style of Lord Chesterfield, is giving good advice to his son, who is about to enter society. "And, above all, avoid flirtations. But if you must flirt or fall in love, be sure that it is with a pretty woman. It is always safer." "Why?" "Because some other fellow will be sure to be attracted and cut you out before any harm has been done."

General GORDON has apparently failed in the one task in which he was expected to succeed—the organization in the Soudan of a force strong enough to compass the retreat of the 25,000 Egyptian troops scattered over a space nearly as large as the South. A little earlier he might have done this; but he came late on the scene, and the Mahdi instead is winning the support success brings.

"Ah! my poor Mme. Maflu, I am in despair. Just imagine that Faro, my dear little dog, has all the symptoms of hydrophobia; he no longer eats anything, he foams at the mouth and runs away when I give him water." "It's terrible; but what do you intend to do about it?" "Poor beast, it breaks my heart; but I am decided; as soon as he has bitten some one I will have him killed."

The hour was twilight and as the lustre of the stars grew brighter in the gathering darkness he pressed his lips to the forehead of the beautiful woman who stood beside him and said tenderly: "When will you consent to name the day of our union, darling—to let the wings of my imagination rest?" And she answered, nestling her cheek against his shoulder: "When you have had your life insured, dearest, and made me a present of the policy."

Killed with a Pencil.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Robert Coleman, a 10 year-old Newark boy, sat down on a sharply-pointed slate pencil in school on Friday which had been placed on his chair by one of his schoolmates. The pencil penetrated about three inches and was then broken off. The boy was taken home on Bank street and medical aid summoned. Despite the care of the physicians the lad sunk rapidly and died yesterday. He was the son of the principal of the Coleman business college.

Will this Create another Breeze?

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The Lasker resolutions prepared by the committee on foreign affairs will be reported to the house to-morrow. The sub-committee has also adopted and will report to the house a resolution acknowledging the expressions of kindly feeling on the part of German liberals, and providing that their action in the acknowledgment of the Lasker resolution shall be made a matter of official record.

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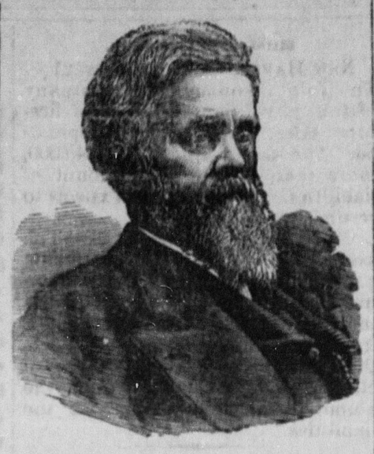
—Mr. H. A. Bradley, the eminent inventor of the hydro-carbon burner, smoke consumer, gas generator, etc., departed last week for Philadelphia and other cities where his inventions have been adopted to see that they are operating satisfactorily. He will be absent several weeks. A few days ago he visited State College where the managers have about concluded to adopt his device for manufacturing gas. It will be a great improvement on the gas now supplied to the College, as it will be produced more economically, furnish a better light and do away with the escaping gas which is somewhat injurious to the health. All the members of the Faculty who examined it are highly pleased. He also recently visited Williamsport where he will probably introduce his smoke consumers. He has already found his inventions quite profitable and has been offered a small fortune by a Philadelphia firm for a half interest in them, which he refused. He is willing, however, to dispose of the right to introduce his invention in small contiguous districts to be selected by the purchaser.

—Those who have interested themselves in the supply of water in Bellefonte are inclined to believe that the best way to regulate its use is by attaching meters to each hydrant. While we consider that perhaps the best possible plan, it nevertheless must remain evident that to carry it out successfully will involve great expense. A most desirable end will be accomplished in removing the unsightly hydrants from the streets and compelling property owners to put in a hydrant for each separate property owned by them. There are families in Bellefonte who do not use on an average more than ten gallons of water per day, while there are others, especially poor washwomen, who make their living on the quantity of water they use. On the latter class the meter system would be rather arduous. So far as we are individually concerned we shall welcome the new system and urge its adoption as soon as practicable.

National Guard Uniforms.

The board of officers of the National Guard of Pennsylvania, of which Major General John F. Hartranft is president, have made the following recommendations, which have been approved by Governor and Commander-in-Chief Pattison: The uniform of regimental medical officers is changed, dark blue trousers to be substituted for the light blue now in use; the cap ornament of general staff officers to be worn in place of the crossed rifles, as at present, and the cloth of the shoulder strap to be of dark instead of light blue cloth. A light field medical knapsack is to be substituted for the leather box now in use. The bronze sword scabbard is abolished, the nickle-plate scabbard as now in use in the army being substituted. Provision is also made for a larger supply of tents for current service and division encampments.



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Dio Lewis

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Miscellaneous.

Doctors and Doctrines.

Whatever Cruel Creeds May Say, Truth is Always Orthodox.

"You know the old saying, Doctor, *Ubi tres medici, duo athei*,—where there are three doctors there are two atheists," laughed Rev. Appollo Creamcheese, the other day, to his friend, Dr. Senna, who had dropped in for a bit of a talk.

"Yes, I've heard it, and I'll bet a box of pills against your dry inkstand that some priest said it. They always spattered bad Latin when they had a bigger lie than common to get rid of," answered the Doctor, lighting his pipe. "I'll tell you, Dominie, you're 'way off when you think our profession isn't doing as good work in this world as yours is. They've both been more'n half barbarous for centuries, but we're several lengths ahead of you on the home-stretch."

"But, Doctor," said Rev. Mr. Creamcheese, "don't you think your fraternity shows a tendency to materialistic——?"

"Bah!" interrupted Dr. Senna, "we show a tendency to human charity and common sense. The fences are all down. Why, within the past week I've had a letter from my old friend, Dr. W. V. Haddox, of Pine Hill, Alabama, saying that he is using with great success, PARKER'S TONIC in his practice, and finds it the best thing for Coughs, Lung, Kidney and Liver troubles, Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, and so on, he ever struck; and another friend of mine, Dr. J. J. Oatman, of Carrolltown, Pa., says substantially the same thing. He's a big specialist, too, in chronic diseases, and knows what he is talking about every time."

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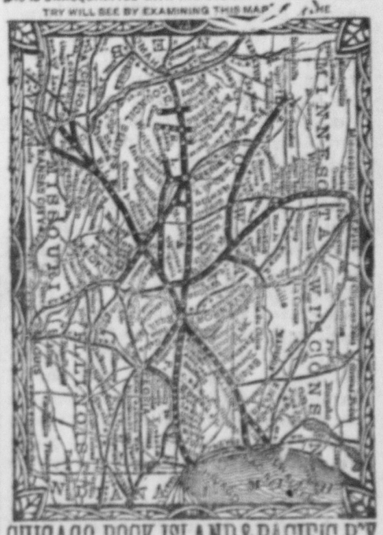

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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Bliss before the Committee.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—During the examination of George Bliss in the star route case to-day Springer said to Bliss: "You said yesterday that Gibson was in the employ of Tilden in the star route case," to which Bliss replied, "Gibson is entitled to the credit of having early arrived at a knowledge of the star route frauds. He wrote considerable for the New York *Sun*. At some time or other Tilden became so far interested that he furnished money to be quietly used in investigation at a certain stage of the matter. Tilden sent C. F. McLane to Washington. He was known as an adopted son of Tilden. He is a gentleman and a lawyer, if those things can be combined. McLane came to Washington and went back and said things were properly managed. He was a law partner of H. Knox. Knox was a chum of James A. Garfield. Tilden obtained this information and if he had been nominated by the democratic party he would have made a campaign on the star route frauds, as he did in New York on the canal frauds. If he had there wouldn't be any need for an electoral commission. But Tilden did not run and he did not give his information to Hancock. Late in February, after the presidential election, Knox proceeded to communicate the star route frauds to Garfield. I think that was why Dorsey's influence with him ended. The cabinet was not made up as Dorsey wanted it. My personal relations with Dorsey were social and pleasant. I attended the famous Dorsey dinners. He wanted a man in the cabinet and I wanted the same man in the same position." "What was the gentleman's name?" asked Mr. Springer. "I will tell you. It was Charles J. Folger. We wanted him for secretary of the treasury, but he was not put in Garfield's cabinet. He was offered the attorney generalship and declined.

A Queer Criminal.

DANVILLE, Va., March 20.—The police arrested here to day a man who, while drunk on a Midland train yesterday, confessed that he had killed two colored men, named Sam and Henry Clark, and wounded United States Bailiff Lee Jones. There was found on the prisoner what appears to be a part of an advertisement for the man who had committed such crimes, to the description of whom the prisoner answered.

The crimes are stated to have been committed on the 17th of some month, but the name of the month, of the man advertised for, the place where the crimes were committed and the name of the signer of the advertisement had been cut out. The prisoner has passed under names of H. B. Ewing, John Smith and Gideon Lamb. It is said that at one time he was a fugitive from justice, and was orginally from Wake County, N. C. On his person was also found a check for $1100, payable to H. B. Ewing, on the Planters' National Bank of Richmond, Va.

Mlle. Nevada's Debut in Paris.

PARIS, March 20.—Mlle. Nevada made her debut to-night at the Italiens. The house was crowded, among the spectators being politicians, artists and the principal American residents. Mr. Morton, the United States Minister, was greeted with cheers when he entered. Mlle. Navada achieved a brilliant success. She was recalled many times and received a large number of bouquets.

Over an Embankment.

SALEM, O., March 20.—As the limited express on the Pittsburg and Fort Wayne road ran over the crossing at what is known as Wells Junction, two miles east of here, this morning, the engine jumped the rails, and after running on the ties for several yards plunged down the embankment and exploded. The engineer and fireman were instantly killed. The engineer's name was James Richards. He was a resident of Allegheny, Pa., and had been in the employ of the road for many years. The fireman was William Rhoades, a young married man residing at Wampum, Pa. The baggage car, express car, and three coaches left the track, Charles Bycles, the baggagemaster, was badly cut about the face. The porter of the Pullman car and brakeman of the train were both injured.

The following are the names of the passengers injured in the wreck near Salem, Ohio, this morning: R. Brunswick, Philadelphia, wounded on the forehead and on one hand; A. C. Husetis, Fort Wayne, Ind., cuts on the hand; D. C. Newcomb, Atchison, Kas., slight injury in the small of the back; J. H. McKnight, Fort Shaw, Montana, cuts across the nose and under one eye; H. F. Douglass, fort Yates, Dakota, small scalp wound, and E. A. Rich, Chicago, slight wounds on one arm. None of the passengers are seriously injured.

The War in Egypt.

SUAKIM, March 20.—Spies report that Osman Digna, with a few followers, has fled to the interior. His flight is attributed to the reward offered for his capture. Slaves are deserting him and fleeing to Suakim.

Admiral Hewitt has withdrawn his proclamation offering a thousand pounds for Osman's head.

PARIS, March 20.—The Figaro's Cairo dispatch this morning says: General Gordon has told the French consul at Khartoum he is disappointed in what he has been able to accomplish. He said it would be impossible for him to defend the place against advancing tribes. In Cairo it is stated that Abeil Kander Pascha, Minister of war, will be sent to secure Gordon.

LONDON, March 30.—Dispatches from newspaper reporters at Suakim say that a serious conflict is now raging. It is reported that Osman has summoned the tribes to a meeting to-morrow, in order to arrange for a renewal of active operations.

The Results of a College Cane-Rush

EASTON, March 19.—On the night of February 22 the students of Lafayette College had a cane-rush on Centre Square and six were arrested. One of them, J. C. Traeger, was struck by Captain Kichline with a club and the blood flowed freely. The matter was brought before the police committee. It was alleged that Traeger had done nothing to warrant the clubbing, as he was struck within three feet of the station house door. The police committee heard evidence on Monday and this evening. The case against the officer is strong, but the prosecutor said he did not wish to have harsh punishment meted out. Counsel for the officer exploded a bomb by saying that he intended prosecuting every student who by his testimony had convicted himself of being in the cane-rush and thus causing a riot. College closed to-day and the attorney says the arrests will follow when the spring term opens.

The Presidential Question.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Senator Sabine, chairman of the Republican national committee, in an interview to-day stated that he was in favor of nominating any candidate for the presidency who will carry the state of New York and the country, and the delegates from Minnesota will doubtless take the same view. He believes the national committee will open its headquarters for the campaign in this city next month.

In an interview here to-day Col. O. H. Payne, son of Senator Payne, said that his father is not a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination. He said Tilden should be the nominee at Chicago, as a purer patriot and a greater man than he does not live.

A Youthful Swain's Suicide.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 19.—W. M. Dane, twenty years old, of Bentonville, Fayette county, became enamored of a thirteen-year-old girl named Ada Swift. Her parents objected to a continuance of his attentions, on account of Ada's extreme youth. On Saturday night Dane purchased two ounces of laudanum, giving Ada one-half and swallowing the other half himself. The poison failed to have a fatal effect in either case, being an overdose. Yesterday the father of the girl had Dane arrested on a charge of attempting to poison his child. Last night Dane procured a pistol and shot himself. He died shortly afterwards. The girl is seriously sick, but may recover. Dane was a school teacher and a writer for the press.

Good News from the Glassworkers.

PITTSBURG, March 20.—The committee of glassworkers and manufacturers who have been in the east for several days in conference with the glass manufacturers of that section have returned home. They were not prepared to state just what would be the result of the trip, but thought arrangements had been made to have the eastern manufacturers stop cutting the price of glass during the strike. Said a prominent manufacturer: "The eastern men secured a great deal of western trade, and since the resumption here have been selling glass under price. Our association took a hand in the matter, having it stopped so there will be no reduction in the price of glass here and consequently no reduction in wages.

Rev. Henry Morgan Dead.

BOSTON, March 22.—Rev. Henry Morgan died suddenly to-night. In a twenty-five years' campaign on the local lecture platform he has made himself the terror of the gamblers and the keepers of houses of illrepute. His book, "Boston Inside Out," made quite a sensation on its appearance a few years ago. Music hall was his favorite platform and he delivered his last lecture there two weeks ago. He was pastor of the First Independent Methodist church and was 59 years old. There will probably be a long and interesting suit over the property left by Mr. Morgan. It consists of three houses and a chapel, situated on the corner of Indiana place and Shawmut avenue, worth at least $50,000. The money was raised by subscription, but the property stands in Morgan's name. Should this revert to his brother some of the largest contributors will be likely to put in a claim. Ex-Governor Claflin is one of this number. No will has been found and it is not known that he made any.

Six Children Poisoned.

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—A special to the *Press* from Meadville says: "Six children from the village of Valonia went out yesterday in search of "sugar water." Not finding a camp in operation the boys tapped some kind of a tree with their pocket knives and all the children sipped the juice. Soon after all were taken sick and gave every sympton of being poisoned. George Custy, aged 10 years, is dead, and three others are considered beyond aid. The kind of a tree furnishing the deadly poison is unknown.

LATER.—Another of the poisoned children named Hinkhouse, aged 6 years, died this morning. The other now seems to be out of danger. It is now said the poison was not from sap, as told by the children, but from eating a plant generally called wild parsnip or cowbank.

Work on the Southern Pacific.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The Southern Pacific Railroad Company has notified the Secretary of the Interior of the completion of another section of that road, 242 miles in length, from Mohave, Arizona, to The Needles, Colorado. The company ask to have this section examined by the commission who may be appointed to examine the section completed last year. Pending congressional action in the matter, it is not probable that this last application to the department will be more successful than the preceding application, as the appointment of a commission might be construed into a recognition of the validity of the claim of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company to the land grant of the Texas Pacific Company.

A Tribute to a Heroine.

DUBUQUE, Ia., March 21.—Dr. H. Doggswell, the philanthropist of San Francisco, has donated an elegant drinking fountain valued at $5000 to this city, as a tribute to Kate Shelley. He offers, if assisted by Dubuque editors, to raise a fund of $10,000 for the girl. Miss Shelley will be remembered as the girl who on the night of July 6, 1881, crawled along a long an extremely high trestle work, in the midst of a terrible wind, rain and lightning storm, reaching the other side of the river in time to save an approaching train.

Ben Thompson's Slayer Dead.

SAN ANTONIA, Texas, March 22.—Joseph C. Foster, one of the proprietors of the Vaudeville theatre, and said to be the wealthiest gambler in San Antonia, died to-day. He was the man who killed Ben Thompson and King Fisher on March 11 while they were trying to kill him. Foster was himself mortally wounded in the affray. He leaves a wife and an estate valued at about $150,000. Foster is the eighth man who has been killed outright or mortally wounded in the Vaudeville threatre.

Engaged his Attention.

AUGUSTA, March 23.—While Dr. R. Crocker, of the Exchange commercial bank, was making settlement with the First national bank, two men entered. While one of them engaged his attention the other seized his satchel of $2,500 and left the bank. Crocker did not discover his loss for several minutes. Two men have been arrested on suspicion.

LATER.—The money stolen yesterday from the clerk of the Commercial bank was found this afternoon.

Result of a Presidential Poll.

LANCASTER, March 21.—The *New Era's* presidential poll up to-night shows Blaine to have 1044 votes, Arthur, 14; Edmunds, 14; Logan, 5, and scattering, 9. In second choice Edmunds is the choice of 107, Lincoln of 77, Sherman of 24, Harrison of 27, Arthur of 26 and Logan of 20. For vice-president Lincoln is the choice of 846, Logan of 24, Harrison of 15 and Hartranft of 10.

Mr. Conkling Sues for a Fee.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Ex-Senator Roscoe Conkling has brought suit against the Commercial Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of oleomargarine in this city, to recover $10,000 for legal services performed in 1882-83.

The Randa Boom.

MEDIA, Pa., March 20.—The democrats of Delaware county to-day elected Dr. J. L. Forwood delegate to the national convention and instructed for Randall for president.

Business Troubles.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 21.—The Yale manufacturing company of this city, manufacturers of fireproof safes, vaults, etc., has suspended. The assets are worth $40,000, more than double the amount of liabilities. The president expects to resume on Monday.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 21.—The assets of the Gill car manufacturing company, which made an assignment last night, are $490,000, and the liabilities $259,000. It is thought from the character of the assets that the shrinkage and expense of closing business will reduce the amount nearly to a level with the liabilities.

An Unpopular Arthur Man.

PITTSBURG, March 19.—It is probable that John Neeb, candidate for delegate to the Republican State Convention from the Forty-second Senatorial district, will withdraw and Mayor Wyman, of Allegheny City, take his place. Neeb has expressed his preference for Arthur and this has developed a strong opposition, which, it is believed, will result in his defeat at the coming primaries. To avoid this his friends are urging him to withdraw for a more available candidate.

Reducing the Marriage Fee to 60 Cents.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 19.—The House of Delegates to-day, after a protracted struggle, passed the Senate bill reducing the fee for marriage license from $4.50 to 60 cents. Heretofore the revenue to the State from this source has averaged $27,000 annually, the State receiving $4 and the court clerk 50 cents for each license. Under the new law, while the fees of the clerk will remain as before, the State will receive only ten cents for each license.

A Victory for Temperance People.

ALTOONA, March 19.—President Judge Dean and Associates Fitchner and Stewart have been hearing applicants for license and remonstrants against them for the last two days and a half in Hollidaysburg. The temperance people contested every license, except five, in Altoona and succeeded in having the Court reject nineteen in the county, fifteen of which were from Altoona. This is considered a victory for the temperance people.

Three Men Submerged in Burning Oil.

CLEVELAND, March 19.—A still at Meriam & Morgan's oil works in this city exploded this morning. The escaping oil instantly submerged August Fisher and August Guenther, employees, and the oil, taking fire, the men were quickly burned to death in sight of a horrified crowd, who were unable to assist them. A rushing stream of oil overtook William Stahlman, another employee, as he fled, and he perished.

A Cigar Factory Burned.

LANCASTER, March 20.—At an early hour this morning the three story frame tobacco warehouse and cigar factory of Long & Brosey, in Manheim, was entirely destroyed by fire. Three hundred cases of leaf tobacco and 60,000 cigars were burned. The loss will probably reach $30,000. The fire originated in the cellar of the building, where tobacco was resweated.

The business Failures of a Week.

NEW YORK, March 21.—The business failures of the last seven days throughout the country, as reported to R. G. Dun & Co., number, for the United States, 176, and for Canada, 37, or a total of 213, as against 216, last week. Failures are exceptionally few in the Western and Pacific States and in New York City, and there is some decrease in Canada.

Floods in Mississippi.

VICKSBURG, March 21.—The water has backed up through the railroad culverts flooding the houses on Front Street. The levees at Shipps Bayou and Point Pleasant are now reported broken for a certainty and much damage is being done. The local steamers are busy bringing stock from the overflowed districts.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

—The office of the Brockerhoff House has been very elegantly repapered and painted by the Williams Brothers and now presents a fresh, attractive and very rich appearance. The superb frame presented to the hotel some time ago has been filled with photographs of traveling men and as they are all fine looking of course their photos are in keeping with the frame. Mr. MacMillen will further add to the interior decorations by ornamenting the walls with some fine oil paintings of an appropriate character.

—The committee of arrangements for the W. C. T. U. fair (which will be on the afternoons and evenings of the 27th and 28th of March, in the store formerly occupied by Valentines' & Co.,) request that all articles be sent in by the 25th of March, if possible. Promptness on the part of our friends will relieve the committee of a great deal of anxiety. Donations of cake, cream, and sugar will be gratefully received. The proceeds of this fair will be expended in advancing the cause of Prohibition throughout this County.

—Turn out at the delegate election on Saturday, April 5th, and send delegates to the convention that will advocate the claims of the man you want for president.

Important Enterprises in Store for Bellefonte.

The hotel business is a very important and highly lucrative one in this borough and therefore the intelligence that a palatial structure is to be erected on the northeast corner of the Diamond to be devoted to hotel, opera house and business purposes should not occasion so much surprise as it apparently has. We were again assured last week that the enterprise is now regarded as more certain than ever and also were given a glimpse into other important improvements in the near future. Several rooms in the new hotel have been engaged as soon as it is completed and Henry Irving or Madame Patti will be engaged to dedicate the new opera house.

One of the gentlemen who is now conducting a hotel very successfully has reconsidered his determination not to lease the new house and has consented to become its proprietor. The hotel over which he now presides will be converted into a sanitarium a la Clifton Springs, and if the invalids of Bellefonte do continue to insist upon going away from home for a panacea for their ailments, perhaps a sufficient number from a distance can be induced to come here, and with the aid of the healing waters of the beautiful spring and Mr. Chase's steam heat, not to mention Mr. Harris' electric light, will be physically benefitted to such an extent as to give *eclat* to the place and Bellefonte's sanitarium will acquire a world wide reputation.

IN the production of political sensations Canada seems determined to surpass the United States. The latest is the exposure of an attempt to bribe members of the Canadian Parliament. It appears that a Michigan lumber merchant having bought a large tract of lumber lands just beyond the Minnesota boundary, was informed that the lumber did not go with the land, and that he must also purchase that of the Dominion government. This savored so strongly of cheating that he might perhaps be pardoned for thinking it meant that he must also buy the Parliament. Whether he thought that body would come cheaper than the lumber is not stated; but that conclusion is allowable from his course. Some of the members who received the money gave the job away, and got more glory than dollars. The disclosure indicates that the ruling price of $800 to $1,000 for members of the Canadian Parliament is abnormally low.

THE New Jersey Legislature again succeeded in making an exhibition of itself last week. Two members succeeded in carrying the dispute of a previous day to such a degree of warmth that one of them struck the other twice. He then apologized to the House and got his apology accepted. It is intimated that some more pugilism will be brought into the discussion before it is closed, and by the time the session is over, the members may find it necessary to put themselves under the tuition of Prof. John L. Sullivan or to resign their seats in favor of a picked delegation of Princeton students.

—Hon. L. A. Mackey returned yesterday morning, (Tuesday, the 18th,) from his trip to Philadelphia where he attended a meeting of the directors of the Bellefonte, Nittany & Lemont railroad. It is stated the road will be placed under contract by the middle of April. VanDyke and Wilson who have the contract of completing the road from Spring Mills to Lemont are actively at work and say they will have the line completed by the first of July—L. H. *Daily Democrat.*

The last we heard in regard to the time for putting the B., N. and L. railroad under contract was even more encouraging than the above. We were informed that it would be completed "within ten days." Therefore, to be compelled to wait until the "middle of April," is quite disappointing. Hurry up, gentlemen.

BEECHER is for Arthur for the next President. The only crumb of comfort that Arthur can possibly extract from this announcement is the probability that Beecher will change his mind and be for somebody else before election. He changes his theology and his politics about as often as the moon changes, and unless he turns over a new leaf he will probably be fighting Arthur with all the powers of his high-flown rhetoric before midsummer.

THE Ohio Legislature has passed a bill which practically provides that the possession of ordinary common sense does not incapacitate a man for jury service. This looks like a direct blow at murder, burglary and some other of Ohio's protected industries.

Gatesburg Gossip.

GATESBURG, March 24, '84.

MR. EDITOR: A few days ago there was an extensive sale of horses, cattle and farm implements on the farm of Mr. Jacob K. Rider. The stock sold readily and the receipts were unexpectedly large.

On the 6th of March our village was also the scene of a brilliant wedding. It occurred at the residence of Mr. M. Gates, and the contracting parties were his daughter and Mr. M. S. Meyers of Huntingdon Furnace, Huntingdon Co., Rev. J. A. Koser, of Pine Grove Mills, performing the ceremony before a large assemblage of representative people. After congratulations and the consumption of choice refreshments the bridal company separated, Mr. and Mrs. Meyers remaining in our village until the next morning when they departed for their future home in Huntingdon Furnace. We wish them unlimited joy throughout their married life upon which they have so auspiciously entered. Co. B.

—There is a very large number of prisoners in the Bellefonte jail. A fair proportion of them are tramps, who should, properly, be given work to do instead of being incarcerated in jail at the expense of the county.

Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, March 25, 1884.

Red Wheat, per bushel	$ 95
Mixed Wheat	90
Buckwheat	50
Rye per bushel	65
Corn (shelled)	60
Oats	40
Cloverseed, fair to good	$5 00
do prime to extra prime	5 50
do choice	6 00
Flour, retail, per barrel	6 00
Flour, wholesale	5 00

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$12 00
Hay, mixed, per ton	8 00
Long rye straw, bundled, per ton	10 00
Short straw per ton	6 00@8 00

Provision Market.

Corrected by Valentines Store Co., "Limited."

Apples, dried, per pound	8
Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded	20
Beans per quart	8
Fresh butter per pound	25
Chickens per piece	25
Cheese per pound	14 to 18
Country hams per pound	14
Hams, sugar cured	16
Country Bacon	12
Lard per pound	10
Eggs per doz	20
Potatoes, per bushel	50
Dried beef	20
Wilson's pressed beef per pound	20
Canned tomatoes per can	10—12½—15
Canned corn "	10—12½—15
Lemons per doz	20
Dried sweet corn per pound	07

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Bakers.

JOSEPH CRADER, 8 Bishop St.
J. H. SANDS, 23 Allegheny St., E. side.
J. SEAREFOSS, No 49 High street, Bush's Arcade.

Barbers.

M. S. GRAHAM, bath room, basement Conrad House.
R. A. BECK, under First National bank.

Books and Stationery and News Depot.

JNO. C. MILLER & CO., Humes' Block, next door to post office.

Boots and Shoes.

JNO. POWERS & SON, 43 High St.
DOLL & MINGLE, 10 Brockerhoff Row.

Bottling Establishment.

JNO. ANDERSON, 65 High St., south side.

Butchers.

JOHN BEEZER, North High street, near Centre Co. bank.
SECHLER & CO., 68 High street.

Contractors and Builders.

E. B. & F. P. GREENE, 46 Water st.

Cigars and Tobacco.

CHARLES RINE, High street, opposite depot.

Cigar Manufacturers.

H. C. WEAVER, First National bank building.

China, Glass and Queensware.

W. H. WILKINSON, 16 & 18 Allegheny street.

Clothiers and Gents' Furnishers.

ISAAC GUGGENHEIMER, Bush Arcade, new addition, High St.

Coal and Grain.

LAWRENCE L. BROWN, near depot.

Carriage Manufactory.

J. R. BARTRUFF, near water works.

Dry Goods and Groceries.

VALENTINES STORE CO., limited, Nos. 51 and 53 Bush Arcade, High St.
C. U. HOFFER & CO., 7 Allegheny st.

Drugs and Medicines.

DR. M. A. KIRK, 41 Bush Arcade, High St.

Furs, Hides and Leather.

ISAAC GUGGENHEIMER, Bush Arcade High St.

Furniture.

JOHN BRACHBILL, 20 Spring street.

Gunsmith—Sporting Goods.

THEO. DESCHNER, High street.

Groceries.

SECHLER & CO., 68 High St.
V. G. BAUER & CO., 6 Bishop St.

Harness Makers.

J. H. McCLURE & SON, 10 Bishop St.
JAMES SCOFIELD, 13 Spring St.

Hotels.

BROCKERHOFF HOUSE, C. G. McMillen, proprietor.

Dealers in and Manufacturers of Lumber.

P. B. CRIDER & SON.
PHŒNIX PLANING MILL CO.

Merchant Tailors.

W. I. FLEMING, Humes' block, Allegheny St. (repairing).

Millinery.

MISS M. L. MacBRIDE, 29 Allegheny St.

Paints and Paper Hanging.

WILLIAMS BROTHERS, 50 High St.

Plumbers and Gas Fitters.

WILLIAM GALBRAITH, 15 Allegheny st.
JOHN BARNES, 48 High st.

Snow Shoe Coal and Coke.

BERWIND, WHITE & CO., Race St., near Bush House.

Sewing Machines and Musical Instruments.

BUNNELL & AIKENS, 1 Bishop st.

Stoves and Tinware.

W. T. TWITMIRE, 46 High st., Bush Arcade.

Watchmakers.

FRANK P. BLAIR, 4 Brockerhoff Row.
FRANK GALBRAITH, 74 High st., opp. depot.

Optician.

FRANK P. BLAIR, 4 Brockerhoff Row.

Items from Unionville and Bush's Hollow.

The last mentioned place is located a short distance from Unionville and is constanly increasing in size and prominence. Mr. Harvey Hoover & Sons own and operate a steam shingle mill which is quite an extensive establishment. Mr. Thomas Watson helped to stock the mill.

A wedding which was quite a novel affair in several particulars was celebrated at Bush's Hollow on Thursday, the 13th instant. The contracting parties were Mr. Sam'l Lanen and Miss Mary Allen. A lady and gentleman were selected for attendants and the time for the wedding arrived but the gentleman attendant failed to put in appearance. It is supposed that he had the spring fever and was fast asleep. But the father and mother of the lady volunteered to officiate in that capacity and acquitted themselves admirably, and there was never a wedding all the details of which were carried out in a more happy style than this. Now, isn't it a first-class idea to have the parents of the bride and groom take the part of assistants in so solemn and important an event, and one which is supposed to be of so much interest to them?

Bush's school closed on Monday, the 17th, with a public spelling match in the evening. The exercises were continued until quite a late hour and the young gentlemen and ladies had a somewhat difficult but jolly experience in returning through the mud to their respective abodes. Overshoes were lost, fine clothes were soiled and other mishaps of a similar character occurred.

Miss Fanny Phillips, of Lock Haven, is the guest of friends in Bush's Hollow and her presence is enjoyed by all.

Miss Emma Gregg, of Philadelphia, is delighting her friends in Unionville by her presence among them, spending most of her time with the family of Mr. Brugger.

Almost a Conflagration.

The family at the boarding house of Misses Humes and McGill was thrown into intense excitement about 7 o'clock Saturday morning by what might have proved quite a disaster. A fresh fire had just been lighted in the room over the law office of Beaver & Gephart, when the stove-pipe came down with a crash. The fire flashed forth from the stove and threatened to envelop the entire room in flames. The ladies were the only members of the household that were astir, and they exhibited undaunted bravery in battling with the raging element. One of the number with stentorian tones assumed command and having marshalled the forces led on to the scene of conflict amid dense volumes of smoke, where, unseen (by reason of the smoke) heroic deeds were enacted. But the men, where were they? Brave men! Some were in bed unconscious of the danger that lurked near them while some viewed the scene from a safe distance.

One, however, more courageous than the others, was on the scene (after the greatest danger was over) and helped to adjust the pipes. Two others came to witness the scene as soon as the smoke had cleared away. We are glad to record that no serious damage resulted to property or person. Mr. H. B. Pontius was notified and came promptly to the rescue, rendering the ladies efficient service.

Methodist Ministers.

The two appended paragraphs which directly concern Methodist clergymen located in this county we clip from the proceedings of Conference now in session in Williamsport as published in the *Gazette and Bulletin* of that city:

Upon the call of the third question of the general minutes, viz: "Who remain on trial?" Rev. H. C. Pardoe, chairman of the committee of conference studies, reported the result of the several examinations. The class is composed of the following gentlemen: Nathan H. Schenk, of Emporium; John F. Kerlin, of Harveyville; Joseph H Kneisley, of Burnt Cabin; George M. Kiepfer, of Hopewell; Samuel E. Meminger, of McConnelstown; W. N. D. Noble, of Snow Shoe.

The following gentlemen were, on motion, elected to elders' orders after satisfactory reports having been made on the disciplinary studies: Charles I. Dunning, of Concord; Richard H. Gilbert, of Emporium; John R. Dunkerly, of Liverpool; J. D. W. Deaver, of Orbinsonia, and John A. Mattern of Pleasant Gap.

—A surprise party took place Friday evening at the residence of Mr. George Rodgers, on Lamb street, in honor of his daughter, Miss Maggie, who is just — years of age. About thirty young folks were present and a very enjoyable time was the result. The refreshments were especially choice. It was in honor of her birthday.

—Services were conducted by members of the Bellefonte Y. M. C. A. in the Union church at Boiling Springs on Sunday evening.

—It will never do to let the 21st of March pass into history without reminding our readers that it is the vernal equinox, the time when the days and nights are of the same length. That was the day when the birds are supposed to begin the construction of their nests, but it so happens that the robins that have been hopping from bough to bough so numerously during the past few weeks began to build homes for themselves several days ago. The atmosphere is really warmer and the ground freer from snow now than is usually the case at this particular period. But now that the days will begin to grow longer than the nights we shall look forward to pleasanter and more settled weather hoping that the sunlight will dissipate the clouds, for certainly the people of this section have had a surfeit of equinoctial storms.

—Mr. Charles Heisler's establishment on High street is quite an extensive affair. From the entrance through the hall west of his restaurant the visitor to his dining parlors mounts the steps and is ushered into a very handsome apartment in which tables are arranged and which is quite beautifully papered. In this apartment no beer will be sold, and the most fastidous persons can enter without danger of contamination. It communicates with the culinary department by means of a speaking tube and dumb waiters will also be put in. Further to the rear is an apartment for those who desire to indulge in beery potations. The saloon is decorated with portraits of about all the sporting characters of prominence.

—"Dickens' Dutchman," (Charles Langheimer) is dead. He had been living in Richmond with a relative since last July, but on the 14th day of March came to the Eastern Penitentiary and requested admittance saying that he wanted to die in his old home where a great part of his life had been voluntarily spent. He died soon afterward. Charles Dickens' the noted novelist, gave this man what notoriety he had by introducing him as a melancholy example of solitary confinement into his "American Notes." As the man spent a few months a short time ago as one of the attaches of the Spring Mills hotel in this county, his death is of some local interest.

—It seems to be an exhibition of childishness to keep those loose timbers on the foot path of the High street bridge for people to stumble over, and if the owners don't remove them we shall pitch them into Spring creek some of these fine days.

—The funeral of Mr. Edward McQuillen, who was killed on the railroad near Renovo on Friday afternoon, was postponed from the time originally appointed (2 o'clock Sunday afternoon) until the same hour Monday afternoon. The postponement was for the purpose of awaiting the arrival of friends from a distance.

After the holidays is called the "dull season" by tailors. We are offering extra inducements in low prices. Our orders for woolens have been very large. The new goods are now coming in. Leave your order now.
tf MONTGOMERY & Co. Tailors.

—Persons living on Bishop street just west of Allegheny complain of the noise and general disorder that prevails in that section until late in the night.

—Would you avoid the burden of doctors' bills? Get 125 first-class prescriptions published in the "Science of Life." Price only $1.00.

—Stevenson, the barber, has the electric light in his establishment and has also embellished it with fresh paper and paint. These, with an entire new suit of black clothes, make him and his establishment present a positively grand appearance.

FITS.—All fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and $2.00 trial bottle free to fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa. 15 22 1y

—After the completion of a bridge which Messrs. Vandyke and Wilson, railroad contractors, are now building, they will begin laying track toward Centre Hall, expecting to put down about one third of a mile of track per day.

A $20 Biblical Prize.

The publishers of *Rutledge's Monthly* offer twelve valuable rewards in their *Monthly* for April, among which is the following:

We will give $20.00 to the person telling us how many words there are in the Epistle of Jude, as recorded in the New Testament Scriptures (not the New Revision,) by April 10th, 1884. Should two or more correct answers be received, the Reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner April 15th, '84. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the May *Monthly*, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published, and in which several more valuable rewards will be offered. Address RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Pa.

New Advertisements.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration upon the estate of Mrs. Eliza Pacini, late of Bellefonte, deceased, having been granted the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. JOHN P. HARRIS,
12 12 6t Administrator.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Karthaus Lodge, No. 925, I. O. O. F., for the erection of an Odd Fellow's Hall.

Size of building, 32x56, with a basement 7 feet, storeroom 11 feet, hall 10 feet. Contractors furnish all material. Said trustees reserving the right to accept or reject all bids. For further information call on or address August Schnars, Karthaus bridge, where plans and specifications may be examined. All proposals must be in by the 1st of May, also must be addressed to

E. W. MIDLAM,
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Those desiring choice, full weight Mackerel during Lent, call on the undersigned, who are considered by epicures to carry the finest line of unadulterated Groceries that can be purchased.

TURKEY PRUNES, 8c. per lb. FRENCH PRUNES, 15c. per lb. EVAPORATED APPLES, 15c. per lb.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY.

FINE TEAS A SPECIALTY, ONCE TRIED ALWAYS USED. AGENTS FOR CHASE & LANBORN'S STANDARD COFFEE—GIVE IT A TRIAL. WINTER GOODS IN CLOTHING, &c., SELLING OUT AT COST.

DRY GOODS AND NOTION DEPARTMENT ALWAYS COMPLETE, AND PRICES WILL COMPARE WITH ALL LEGITIMATE DEALERS.

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Lyon & Co.

SNAPS FOR YOU.

Our way of selling off a large Winter Stock at Short Notice.

$40,000 Worth of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, &c., at almost Half Price.

Read this through to the end. There is something that will strike you. Then come with your shekels. Come soon, because we will offer things at less than we can replace them, for after they are sold, we can't pick up such bargains every day. Just some chances.

Wool Brocaded Fine Dress Goods, 15 cts. a yard, Elsewhere 30 cts.
Another lot 8 cts. a yard.

One lot of good Gingham	7 cts. a yard
One lot of best Gingham	9 cts. a yard
White Bed Spreads	45 cts.
Canton Flannel	6 cts. a yard
Best Calicos	6 cts. a yard
Best Shirting	8 cts. a yard
Plaid Flannels	10 cts a yard
Red Table Linen	18 cts. a yard
Double width Cashmeres	18 cts. a yard
All Wool Black and Colored Cashmeres	37 cts. a yard
Red Plaid Flannels	10 cts. a yard
Ladies' Gossamers	85 cts.

ALL WOOL CASHMERES, BLACK AND COLORED, AT LEAST ONE-THIRD CHEAPER THAN ANYWHERE ELSE.

Plaid Dress Goods	6, 8 and 10 cts. a yard
Appleton "A" Muslin	7½ cts. a yard
Red All Wool Flannels from	15 cts. up
One extra quality Black Silk	50 and 75 cts. a yard, other places $1 00 to $1 25
One lot extra quality Black Silk	$1 00, elsewhere $1 50
One lot extra superb quality Black Silk	$1 25, elsewhere $2 00
One lot extra heavy superb quality Black Silk	$1 75, elsewhere $2 50 and $3 00

COLORED SILKS, EXTRA HEAVY, 75cts., IN ALL THE NEW SHADES.

Colored Silks from	50 cts. a yard
A new and superb quality all silk Satin Rhadema	75 cts., city price $1 50
The finest quality, 1¼ yards wide, all wool Dress Cloth and Flannel,	$1 00 per yard, same quality elsewhere $1 25 per yard
Silk Plushes	from 75cts. up
Silk Velvets	from $1 00 and $1 25 up
Velveteen	from 35 cts. up
Colored Blankets	from 75 cts. a pair up
White Blankets	from $1 65 a pair up
Undershirts and Drawers	from 20 cts. up
Ladies' Hose	4 pair for 25 cts
Children's Hose	4 pair for 25 cts
Men's Socks	4 pair for 25 cts.
Men's Wool Hose	18 cts. per pair, elsewhere 30 cts
Men's fine Seamless all Wool Hose	18 cts a pair

SHOES AT HALF PRICE.

Ladies' Shoes, good calf	$1 00 a pair
Ladies' Calf Shoes	1 25 a pair
Children's	25, 30 and 40 cts a pair
Ladies' Button Shoes from	$1 00 a pair up
Ladies' Button Shoes, finest quality	$1 50 a pair
Best quality, warranted	$1 50 to $2 00
French Kid	$2 50 to $3 50

WRIGHT'S BEST ROCHESTER MAKE.

Men's Heavy Winter Pants	75 cts. a pair
do do do do	$1 00, $1 25 and $1 50
Children's Suits from	$1 90 up

BOYS' OVERCOATS.

Men's Overcoats	$3 00, $4 00, $4 50 and $5 00 up
Men's All Wool Suits from	$6 00 up
Men's Fine Boots	$2 00 per pair
Men's Heavy Boots	1 50 per pair
Boys' Boots	1 00 per pair
Boys' Boots	1 25 per pair
Ladies' Castor and Kid Gloves	25 cts. a pair
Men's Castor and Buck Gloves from	50 cts. up
Men's Heavy Buck Gloves from	75 cts. up

We have no space to mention all the bargains we have, but we have $40,000 worth of stock which shall go in the next 30 days at almost half price.

SEND FOR SAMPLES.

Call on us and save money. Money returned if purchase not satisfactory.

Ladies' and Chilaren's Dolmans, Coats, Ulsters, Circulars,

The largest stock and marked down 35 per cent. from last month's prices.

LYON & CO.,
BELLEFONTE, PA.

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WANTED.

A first class wagon-maker to take a shop, for a number of years, to which is attached a good water power for all necessary machinery. Shop has a log saw, circular saw, band saw, and turning lathe. A good chance. Apply to
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APPLICATION FOR A WARRANT.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Secretary of Internal Affairs of Pennsylvania for a warrant to survey a tract of vacant land situate in Howard township, Centre county, bounded by land in warrantee name of Jos. T. Hall on the North, East by Jacob Baker, South by J. I. Lingle, and on the West by James Green; warrant containing about eleven acres. JOHN B. HOLTER.
March 11, 1884. 16 11 3t Howard, Pa.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that my wife, Sarah C. Eminheizer, having left her bed and board without sufficient cause, all persons are hereby cautioned not to harbor or trust her on my account, as I will pay no bills of her contracting. A. J. EMINHEIZER,
Snow Shoe, March 10, 1884. 16 11 3t

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Complete stock of
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FLIES,
LINES,
HOOKS,
NETS,
AND FISHING TACKLE IN GENERAL.
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I will issue a catalogue April 1st, 1884, containing price list of Guns, Sporting Goods, Fishing Tackle, Musical Instruments, and a copy of the *Game Laws of Penn'a*, which I will mail free to any address on application.

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New Goods!

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SPICES.—The best cook in the land cannot cook successfully without pure, fresh spices. These we have in every variety. Well-seasoned food adds to long life and happiness.

SUGARS AND SYRUPS.—In Sugars and Syrups we have all the best brands in the market. Much of the sugar now sold is adulterated, and in an article of this kind there is great waste. We buy from reliable dealers, and handle only the genuine goods.

TEAS AND COFFEES.—No breakfast can be thoroughly enjoyed without a good cup of coffee or tea. A drink of this kind is stimulating and goes right to the spot. Our Coffees and Teas are fresh and strictly pure. The fragrant odor which escapes from the steaming pot as it comes in from the kitchen will convince you of this. We sell more coffee than any other two houses in the county. Why? Because we sell the best and the people know it.

NUTS, CONFECTIONERY, ETC.—In Nuts and Confectionery we have everything that is nice, and just what will please the young folks, and old folks as well. Our candies are all pure and wholesome; We do not handle the highly-colored, poisonous mixtures that ruin and decay the teeth. We have new Florida oranges (this fall's crop), fine Figs and Prunes, and a choice line of Canned Fruits and Preserves. Bear this in mind when preparing to Celebrate the merry holidays.

We make special mention of the above lines of goods because they are all leading articles at this season of the year. In other lines our stock is equally fresh and complete.

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Call in and inspect our No. 1 goods. Then you will know where to purchase when your cupboard needs replenishing.

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Bush House Block, Bellefonte, Pa.
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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Lasker Resolutions Adopted.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—In the house Mr. Curtin, chairman of the committee on foreign affairs, reported as a privileged question, the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the resolutions referring to the death of Dr. Edward Lasker, adopted by this house on January 9th, last, were intended as a tribute of respect to the memory of an eminent foreign statesman who had died within the United States, and expressed sympathy with the German people of whom he had been an honorable representative.

Resolved, That the house, having no official concern with the relations between the executive and legislative branches of the German government, does not deem it requisite to its dignity to criticise the manner of the reception of the resolutions or the circumstances which prevented their reaching their destination after they had been communicated through the proper channels to the German government.

Mr. Curtin immediately demanded the previous question.

Mr. Reagan hoped the previous question would not be ordered. The house had made apologies enough for having been insulted.

Mr. Cox, of New York, moved to lay the whole matter on the table. That was the way to treat the German chancellor. The motion was defeated by vote of 83 to 125.

The previous question having been ordered, Mr. Ochiltree rose to debate the resolution. He yielded to no gentleman in his esteem for and confidence in the distinguished members of the foreign affairs committee, and ordinarily was disposed to rely on their judgment, but this affair had gone beyond the domain of red tape and circumlocution. It had assumed a phase which called on each and every representative to look to it that his individual honor and dignity were preserved, and, in doing so, to defend the dignity of the people. It was not becoming the dignity of this body to enter into an explanation of the meaning of the original resolution.

The Lasker resolution, reported by the committee on foreign affairs, was adopted without division.

A Whole Family Poisoned.

CAPE MAY COURT HOUSE, N. J., March 18.—Public feeling here runs high against the 18-year-old son of Mr. George Grace, whose arrest is imminent on the charge of having poisoned his father, mother, two sisters and two brothers with "Rough on Rats." The boy has been a grief to his parents for several years, wild in his habits and ungovernable in temper. The punishment which Mr. Grace administered to him rather hardened than subdued him. Dr. Downs, the family physician, also keeps the village drug store. Several hours before supper time yesterday, young Grace entered the drug store and said: "I want some arsenic, to poison rats." "Arsenic is not used nowadays to poison vermin," replied the doctor; "but I can give you some "Rough on Rats." The youth's sullen face fell and he hesitated, but finally took what was offered to him. About 8 o'clock, Dr. Downs was summoned hastily to the Grace mansion. He found the entire family, except the little daughter Bertha, writhing in agony. Six patients in such an awful condition at first rather paralyzed his energies, but he soon discovered that the sufferers had been poisoned, and missing the youth to whom he had sold the rat's bane, asked for him. "Oh," said little Bertha, "it was awful. Pa and ma and the children drank their coffee, and I didn't take any; all at once ma turned pale and screamed, and pa and the boys jumped up from the table, and I thought they were all going to die."

On being confronted with the suspected young man, Dr. Downs questioned him closely, and received such confused and contradictory replies as confirmed his already strong suspicions. In the meantime, by the use of antidotes, all the sufferers, except the youngest child, had been relieved of their cramps and retching. The infant is still dangerously, if not fatally, ill.

No cause for this fiendish act is assigned save the idea that by doing away with his family the boy might inherit his father's property.

One Pardon Recommended.

HARRISBURG, March 18.—At the meeting of the Board of Pardons today a number of cases were considered. The case of Jesse Carter, of Allegheny county, under sentence, of death, was held under advisement. The case of Martin Weinberger, the murderer in whose behalf the Austro-Hungarian Minister has interested himself, was not heard. Pardons were refused in the following cases: H. D. Rudolph, Franklin; John B. Dehuff, Cumberland; J. W. Fleck, Crawford; Joseph Trombo, Schuylkill, and W. H. Ehriey, Allegheny. A pardon was recommended in the case of Annie Reilly, of Philadelphia, convicted of larceny.

York County Adopts Quay's Plan.

YORK, Pa., March 19.—The republican county convention met here today and elected delegates to the state convention. They were instructed for General Beaver for congressman-at-large and for Captain W. H. Lanius as delegate from this county to Chicago. The delegates are also to choose a presidential elector. The platform earnestly pronounces for Blaine. The delegates to the state convention are John Bair, senatorial, and Charles W. M. Clark, R. M. Wirt and Charles W. M. Funk, representative. The resolutions endorse Arthur and instruct for Blaine.

Brief Telegrams.

PHILADELPHIA, March 17.—Rev. R. A. Edwards, of the Church of St. Matthias, yesterday condemned the charity ball lately held here for the benefit of the public institutions of charity. He said the ball was a display of fashion, pomp and pride. The Episcopal hospital cannot accept this money. The hospital is of and for the church. It should have no affiliation with the world or its methods.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 17.—The Constitution having canvassed the state, announces an almost unanimous demand for Mr. Tilden's nomination for the presidency. The recent interview with him is taken as a declaration that he is not a candidate, but is willing to be forced to take office.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 17.—Hoffman & Billings' machine and brass works, covering half a block near the corner of Cedar and Sixth streets, burned yesterday morning. The fire originated in the engine room from an unknown cause. Total loss nearly $50,000; insurance over $65,000.

BAYONNE, N. J., March 18.—Michael Cushing fell into a coal schute this afternoon and was instantly killed. His wife, who is an invalid, upon being informed of his death, sank into unconsciousness and is not expected to survive the shock.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 18.—The bill abolishing the convict contract labor system as fast as contracts expire became a law to-day. The new law will make a radical change in the Ohio penitentiary.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—It is learned at the department of state that no telegram has been sent to Mr. Sargant in relation to his transfer to another post, as has been reported.

FALL RIVER, March 18.—A house erected by Patrick Fallon, near the Chase mill, where the knobstick spinners of the Chase mill boarded, was attacked last night. Fallon's son was seriously injured. Pistols were used freely. The knobsticks were escorted to work this morning by the police.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 18.—H. Goodman, clothier at Freeland, Pa., has failed. His stock was sold by the sheriff this morning. The liabilities and assets are unknown. The creditors are principally New York and Philadelphia firms.

CHAMBERSBURG, March 18.—The republicans of Franklin county held their convention to-day to select delegates to the state convention. A resolution was adopted instructing them to support Blaine delegates to the national convention.

Battling With a Wild Cat.

HONESDALE, March 19.—Levi Labar, of Purdytown, fought a "catch-as-catch can" battle with an enormous wild cat in his bed-room on Monday night. A large window-pane which had been broken was closed up with a piece of cloth nailed to the sash. About midnight, after Labar had retired to bed, he heard a strange noise in the room. He jumped from the bed to make an investigation, when a sharp unearthly yell from a wild cat made the very air jingle. He seized a stick of wood and, without stopping to make a light, prepared for combat.

The animal sprung upon his shoulders, but Labar shook it off and delivered a stunning blow with his club. For fifteen minutes the conflict raged with vigor, the brute leaping from wall to wall, clinging to the paper with its sharp claws and then bounding upon its opponent, screeching with fury and with eyes shining like coals of fire. At last Labar dealt the cat a death-blow just as it was about to leap on his head from the top of an open door. It measured eight feet from the tip of its nose to the end of its tail. Labar was severely lacerated about the face and arms.

Huntingdon for Blaine.

HUNTINGDON, March 18.—The republican county convention to-day contained a full representation from all the districts and was unanimous for Blaine. The delegates to the state convention and the conferees to elect delegates to the national convention were instructed to support no person as a representative of the latter who is not an unqualified supporter of Blaine. It was also declared that the conferees for the election of national delegates should be held within the district prior to the meeting of the state convention. The delegates elected to the state convention are T. W. Montgomery, senatorial, and Jacob H. Mattern and B. F. Ripple, representative. The conferees are J. A. Nash, Henry Holtzaphle, and J. C. Clarkson.

Was It Hydrophobia?

PHILADELPHIA, March 18.—Johnny Cobb, aged 5 years, died here to-day from what was supposed to be hydrophobia, he having been bitten by a dog nearly three years ago. The boy writhed in great agony and became unmanageable and all the symptoms pointed to hydrophobia. Drs. Bulles and Chase, attending physicians, however, state that the boy's death was caused by convulsions due to chronic meningitis. Dr. Bulles said that the case is useful in illustrating that alleged instances of hydrophobia were usually nothing of the kind, but some other affection mistaken for it. Imagination, he believed, goes a great way in producing it. As a matter of fact he said there had not been a case of hydrophobia in Philadelphia for years.

Not to Land.

VINEYARD HAVEN, March 17.—The secretary of the treasury has decided that the twenty-two alleged Cuban bandits shall not be allowed to land until their case is further inquired into.

The Temperance Wave.

WILKESBARRE, March 17.—Robert Graham, of New York, secretary of the Episcopal church temperance association, addressed 600 machinists at the Philadelphia and Reading railroad car shops at Ashley at noon to-day. He also spoke to 300 employes at the Vulcan iron works this afternoon. At both places he was earnestly welcomed. To-morrow evening he will address a citizens' mass meeting here. Ex-Attorney General Palmer will also be one of the speakers. There is a strong movement on foot here for the enforcement of the existing liquor laws and a reduction of the number of licenses heretofore granted in Luzerne county.

St. Patrick's Day in London.

LONDON, March 17.—A banquet was given here in honor of the day. No royal toasts were offered. Parnell, in proposing the toast, "The Irish Nation," urged Irishmen not to depend on any body of Englishmen, but to rely on themselves. He said that Ireland's future was promising; that the time was near at hand when an Irish parliament would send a message of peace to the English parliament. A. M. Sullivan, ex-member of parliament, said there would be no truce or peace with England until Ireland was endowed with institutions which could alone make the Irish race what its genius intended it should be in the economy of the world.

A Big Fire in South Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 17.—A fire occurred in South Chicago early this morning, destroying completely the large frame row know as the Calumet block and twelve other frame buildings adjoining. Assistance was asked for from the city and a number of fire engines sent to the scene, but the flames had been brought under control before their arrival. The buildings were occupied mainly as stores. The losses will approximate from $60,000 to $100,000.

Cremation at Washington.

PHILADELPHIA, March 17.—A special from Washington, Pa., to the *Press*, says the remains of Miss Clara B. Tiller, a former resident of Wilmington, Del., but who died in Philadelphia a few days ago, were cremated to-day. The ashes will be taken to Ohio, where the deceased owned property and requested that her ashes be buried.

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He was Refused a Drink.

ASHLAND, Pa., March 18.—James Carney entered a saloon here to-day and called for a drink, and upon James McFadden, the barkeeper, refusing him, he seized him, whereupon McFadden seized an iron mallet and struck him on the head inflicting injuries which are momentarily expected to result in death.

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The Lasker Resolutions.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Representative Curtin made an effort today to report the resolutions of the committee on foreign affairs concerning the Lasker case, but was not recognized. He says he will be recognized to-morrow and that he will offer the resolutions as a privileged report.

Think It Over.

It will only cost you the postage on a letter to write to Drs. Starkey & Palen, 1109 Girard street, Philadelphia, and get their opinion of your case, if you are suffering from any form of disease which your physician has failed to cure, as consumption, neuralgia, catarrh, rheumatism, etc. State it clearly and they will answer promptly, honestly telling you, in view of all the conditions you state, whether they believe Compound Oxygen will do you any good. At the same time they will send you documents containing a history of the discovery of this remarkable substance and a large record of cures which have been made during the last thirteen years, from which you will be able to judge for yourself of its claim upon your confidence.

—Sheriff Woodring moved from his town residence to his farm in the country last week.

—Swaverly, of the *Centre Democrat*, adjusted his compass a few days ago to discover the direction indicated by the magnet. He stood on his head and placed two mirrors at opposite ends of his room to see if he could get a glimpse at the rear of his head Then he concluded that if he would run out Allegheny street far enough he might reach the North Pole. Having this much indellibly fixed in his mammoth mind he remembered the old saying which was taught him when he was knee high to a grasshopper: "Right hand east, left hand west, face to the north and back to the south." "With these valuable and intellectual accomplishments,' he soliloquized, "I can walk all over the world like Bayard Taylor did, and never get lost. Therefore," he continued; "the location of that 'castle in the air' is northeast, not northwest." But, friend Swaverly; pause please to remember that our castle will not be "in the air," but it will be built on a solid foundation of rock and, what is the same thing, millions of money. We shall not soar into the airy realms of *spirits* where visions terrify and affright, but shall be content to remain on *terra firma*, while Swaverly may journey Zionward.

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WESTWARD	Exp A.M	Mail P.M
Leave Lock Haven	4 45	4 35
Flemington	4 48	4 42
Mill Hall	4 52	4 48
Beech Creek	5 01	4 50
Eagleville	5 04	4 55
Howard	5 13	4 00
Mount Eagle	5 18	4 04
Curtin	5 22	4 07
Milesburg	5 30	4 21
Bellefonte	5 40	5 26
Milesburg	5 50	5 15
Snow Shoe Int	5 53	5 19
Unionville	6 02	5 28
Julian	6 12	5 38
Martha	6 22	5 48
Port Matilda	6 29	5 56
Hannah	6 37	6 13
Fowler	6 39	6 06
Bald Eagle	6 49	6 19
Vail	6 53	6 24
Arrive at Tyrone	7 05	6 35
EASTWARD	P.M.	A.M
Leave Tyrone	7 30	8 30
East Tyrone	7 37	8 37
Vail	7 40	8 40
Bald Eagle	7 45	8 45
Fowler	7 54	8 54
Hannah	7 57	8 59
Port Matilda	8 05	9 09
Martha	8 13	9 17
Julian	8 22	9 26
Unionville	8 33	9 37
Snow Shoe Int	8 42	9 47
Milesburg	8 45	9 50
Bellefonte	8 55	10 00
Milesburg	9 05	10 10
Curtin	9 15	10 19
Mount Eagle	9 19	10 23
Howard	9 26	10 32
Eagleville	9 36	10 42
Beech Creek	9 40	10 46
Mill Hall	9 52	10 58
Flemington	9 55	11 01
Arrive at Lock Haven	10 00	11 06

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R. R.—Time Table in effect on and after May 14, 1883.

Leaves Snow Shoe 4.13 a. m., arrives in Bellefonte 6.20 a m

Leaves Bellefonte 9.30 a. m., arrives at Snow Shoe 11.04 a m

Leaves Snow Shoe 3.50 p m., arrives at Bellefonte 5.38 p m

Leaves Bellefonte 8.10 p m., arrives at Snow Shoe 10.40 p m

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LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD Time Table, May 14, 1883.

WESTWARD.	Mixed. P. M.	Mixed. A. M.
Leave Scotia	12 15	5 00
Fairbrook	1 00	6 20
Penn's Furnace	1 15	5 40
Hostler	1 28	5 50
Marengo	1 35	5 55
Loveville	1 38	6 00
Furnace Road	1 45	6 10
Warriors Mark	2 00	6 25
Pennington	2 12	6 40
Weston Mill	2 25	6 50
L. and T. June	2 31	6 55
Tyrone	2 35	6 58
EASTWARD.	Mixed. P. M.	Mixed. A. M.
Leave Tyrone	4 00	9 20
L. & T. June	4 04	9 25
Weston Mill	4 14	9 33
Pennington	4 32	9 48
Warriors Mark	4 42	9 58
Furnace Road	4 57	10 12
Loveville	5 02	10 16
Marengo	5 07	10 22
Hostler	5 17	10 35
Penn's Furnace	5 27	10 44
Fairbrook	5 47	11 03
Scotia	6 20	11 30

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—(Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after Monday, Nov. 18, 1883:

WESTWARD.		
ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia		11 20 p m
" " Harrisburg		4 20 a m
" " Williamsport		8 40 a m
" " Jersey Shore		9 00 a m
" " Lock Haven		9 40 a m
" " Renovo		10 55 a m
" arr at Erie		7 35 p m
FAST LINE leaves Philadelphia		11 10 a m
" " Harrisburg		3 25 p m
" " Williamsport		7 15 p m
" arr at Lock Haven		8 05 p m
EASTWARD.		
LOCK HAVEN EXP. leaves L. H.		6 50 a m
" " Williamsport		7 55 a m
" arr at Harrisburg		11 30 a m
" Philadelphia		3 15 p m
DAY EXP. leaves Kane		6 00 a m
" " Renovo		10 05 a m
" " Lock Haven		11 15 a m
" " Williamsport		12 25 p m
" arr at Harrisburg		3 45 p m
" " Philadelphia		7 25 p m
ERIE MAIL leaves Erie		1 55 p m
" " Renovo		10 27 p m
" " Lock Haven		11 20 p m
" " Williamsport		12 35 a m
" arr at Harrisburg		4 05 a m
" " Philadelphia		7 50 a m

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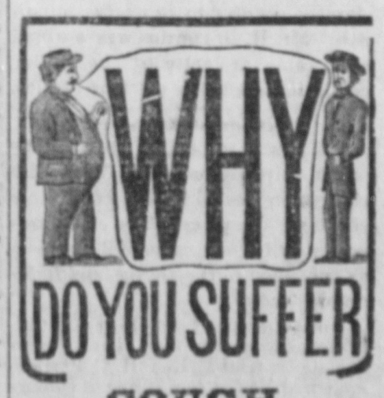

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

—Bishop street girls move airily and gracefully along on roller skates.

—Watermen by the hundred are daily passing over the B. E. Railroad.

—A large iron furnace is to be built on the fair ground, Gen. Beaver and J. D. Shugert being among the capitalists who will operate it.

—The Constitutional Temperance Amendment Association will hold its State Convention in Altoona this year on the 17th and 18th of June.

—Mr. Brachbill has purchased the building formerly occupied by Williams Bros' paint store and moved it to his property next the Centre County Bank building.

—We notice that Mr. James Milliken is again at home after two weeks absence in Philadelphia and New York. He has been prominently mentioned as a Vice Presidential candidate.

—The new drinking saloon in Newspaper Row, or as we have heard it called, the "Continental Saloon," opened last Wednesday night, and a crowd surged in and out during the evening.

—It will soon be time for Bellefonte's curb market. Many persons who regret the dearth of smear-case and other delectable viands will hail the curb market period with peculiar pleasure.

—How sorry we are to hear it—and the ladies will repent in sacque cloth and new sashes. We are informed that Rev. S. M. Moore, of Tyrone, is not a bachelor, but that he has been married twenty-five years. That's another disappointment for the old maids of Bellefonte!

—The rains and moderate weather of the past few days are producing the effect of warming the ground earlier than usual and already tender shoots of green may be seen forcing their way upward. Rhubarb is about the first to show returning life and from present indications it will not be long until rhubarb pies will show their welcome presence on the table.

—Several of the fine ornamental shade trees on the premises in front of F. P. Green's residence on Linn street were cut down last week. Various comments are heard in regard to the wisdom of such a proceeding but Mr. James Milliken, who certainly has very excellent judgment in regard to such things, considers it a very sensible and highly commendable measure.

—The checker players at the Garman House are indulging in championship games, Mr. Harper being ahead. Mr. Swaverly, of the *Democrat*, comes in a good second, his efforts to secure the championship being nipped in the bud before the blossom was visible. Al Garman is No. 3, with the prospect of ranking even higher before long.

—The University at Lewisburg issues a monthly publication entitled the *College Mirror*, a copy of which has been received. The editorial corps is large and able. Among the names we notice that of W. L. Kurtz, exchange editor. It presents an excellent field for the development of editorial talent, the articles are well written and readable, and we shall be glad to receive a copy of future issues.

—"Why in the Dickens,"—Yes, that is the exact expression we heard used at noon on Wednesday. We don't know what it means, but it is forcible enough to suit the subject. The complete inquiry of the person in question was: "Why in the Dickens don't they repair this crossing?" The crossing referred to leads from the High street bridge to Valentines Store Co., Lim. As the crossing on the opposite side of High street is about as bad, we call the attention of the authorities to both of them with the request that, to preserve the good nature and equanimity of demonstrative citizens, some effort be made to render the objectionable crossings passable.

—There was a slight conflagration in Valentines' Store Co., Limited, on the 17th. A piece of carpet ignited in some way and of course occasioned enough smoke to lead people to suppose that the fire had attained considerable headway. Israel Sternberg contemplated seriously the expediency of calling out the fire department and the police force. Ed Graham concluded that copious applications of cold water would be just the thing and seized a Japanese tea cup in which to carry it. Messrs. Horlacher and Valentine emptied the contents of their ink bottles on the conflagration while Mr. Moyer started for a new summer silk dress pattern which with to smother it. Mr. Pearson was about to suggest the possibility of dumping a bag of salt on it when the porter calmly gathered up the smouldering carpet and chucked it into Spring creek.

DULUTH IN SPRINGTIME.

Mr. J. W. Miller Records the Remarkable Growth and Prospects of a City in the Northwest.

DULUTH, MINN., March 12, '84.

EDITOR NEWS: The rigid fingers of Winter are relaxing and Spring improvements are starting. My native Pennsylvania terror at low temperature made me shiver last Summer as I thought of the thirty below which I knew must come out here. But you will think it strange when I say that the discomfort I felt on account of the cold this Winter was much less than that of last Winter in Bellefonte. The principal reason for this is in the dryness of the atmosphere here. The moisture does not penetrate almost to the very quick, and coasting on some of these clear, bracing, northern nights is highly enjoyable. Another thing contributing to the enjoyment of Winter here is its steadiness. I wore less clothes this Winter than last because I was not called upon to freeze one week and perspire the next. From the 1st of December until now we have not a "breaking up" or any sloppy street. April is reckoned as the most disagreeable month because it brings these. Neither was it too cold for railroad construction. The Duluth and Iron Range has had five hundred men working on its new line from here to the iron-ore districts all Winter, and they have laid about twenty-five miles of track.

However no great activity existed in building of any sort. Here and there cheap houses were reared, and in one instance a block costing $30,000 was built. Carpenters promise to find plenty to do this Spring and Summer as the lake traffic, freight over the Northern Pacific and other routes will increase at once. The principal buildings demanded and now under way are more grain elevators for the vast shipments and transfer over the N. P. R. R. and the lakes. There are now finished four elevators having a capacity of nearly three million bushels. Three more have been begun which will have a capacity of two and a half millions. The Marquis de Mores is constructing a storehouse refrigerator for supplying eastern cities with dressed beef. He has a whole town on the N. P. engaged in his cattle enterprise. Last week he contracted with that railroad for shipping 17,000,000 pounds from this town—Medora—to the Black Hills. He has also contracted to furnish the famous Fulton Market, New York, with two car loads of beef and one of fish daily.

The lumbering business has not been pushed this Winter as prices for lumber were low. The increased farming along the Red River Valley and the N. P. will cause a number of new elevators to be built in the near future and a larger amount of lumber will then be required. During 1883 there was manufactured 115,753,475 feet.

During the next season the iron industry will begin to receive greater attention since the extensive deposits of the Vermilion Range will be reached by a railroad whose terminus is here.

The land office entries last year amount to over five hundred thousand acres. West of here there remains a great deal of government land subject to pre-emption or homestead improvement. Immediately in this vicinity the pine timber has invited so many land seekers that comparatively little unclaimed land remains. The House Committee on appropriations last week reported favorably a bill giving Duluth $100,000 for a public building. The post-office, U. S. Land office, Custom House and other government offices have heretofore been rented at a great annual cost. This appropriation will add another substantial building to the city.

But "who would dwell on the land" when Lake Superior trout may form so proper a theme? The fisheries yielded an income to their owners of $130,450 during the year. These are shipped to the chief cities of the country. Trout and white fish are the catch.

Just now the many new railroads aiming for this port form the chief attraction. Mr. Herman E. Long is daily expected on his return from England where a syndicate has been formed and bonds issued for the construction of the Duluth and Southwestern to bring the wheat of South Minnesota to this place. Engineers have been actively at work all Winter, and a number of miles will be graded this season. The Duluth and Grand Forks is the newest on the list as the Omaha has been planning for a year to reach this point. One of the most gigantic plans of engineers is the construction of a canal from the Red River to this place which, if done, would give a through water route from Winnipeg to the Atlantic coast. A scheme to build a canal from Winnipeg to Hudson's Bay would give an inland water trip from New York city to Hudson's Bay, via the Great Lakes and this system of canals. The completion of the N. P. R. R. last Summer will vastly increase the settlement of Dakota, Montana, Oregon and other states west of here and that country opened less than a year will develop as rapidly as has Minnesota or Nebraska.

J. W. MILLER.

Council Meeting.

On Monday evening, the 17th, there was a full meeting of the borough fathers in council chamber. We observed a copy of the Bible on the table at which the members were seated, which, however, none took the trouble to glance at except Mr. Richard McCafferty. President Ardell, the Mayor-elect, occupied the chair and at the regular time called the august body to order.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and also of a special meeting were read and approved when, after a little preliminary business was transacted, the President called for the reports of committees.

The Street committee reported through Col. Tate that the bridge near Reynolds' mill is in an unsafe condition.

The Water committee report was given by Mr. Shortlidge, chairman. He called the attention of the Council to the fact that the supply of water was insufficient from the 5th day of January until the 12th day of March; that the pumps at Water Works should not make more than from 40 to 50 strokes per minute whereas during the period mentioned 70 strokes were necessary; that it was supposed that extensive leaks existed or that the boilers were consuming large quantities, but that the figures show that the limited quantity was due to enormous waste. Among the most conspicuous places where the waste occurred the gentleman instanced the REPUBLICAN office and asked the NEWS reporter to make a special minute of the fact. The gentleman said that the flow of water from the *Democrat* office resembles a "tale race." The waste of water at the *Watchman* office he had not seen but could imagine. The gentleman said that Mr. John Barnes, the plumber, had informed him in regard to the quantity wasted at the REPUBLICAN office. He (Mr. Shortlidge) had recently been to the city where much information regarding the water supply of towns had been gathered. He read from a pamphlet several suggestive paragraphs on the subject. He said that there is at present a leak in the reservoir and that pipe has been ordered to be laid on Water street.

There was no response from either the Fire and Police or Nuisance committees.

Mr. Brown, who had arrived late, remarked at this juncture that several of the street gas lamps will not burn because of the existence of water in them.

Finance committee reported a bond for $1,000, bearing 6 per cent. interest, refunded at 5 per cent.

The committee appointed to investigate the amount of water used by the Steam Heating Co. and Electric Light Co. reported progress.

Much informal conversation prevailed at this juncture which was about equally divided between the water question and a resolution in regard to the widening of Water street.

A motion was carried that the preamble and resolutions of the special meeting be laid on the table, after which the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, James Harris appeared before the Town Council of the Borough of Bellefonte and requested a change to be made in the location of Water street near where the same intersects High street on the west side of same; therefore,

Resolved, That Council will make the desired change, provided the property owners who adjoin the street as far as proposed extension is made be at the expense of widening said street, by extending the same out into Spring creek to make it of the width of 33 feet.

Offered by D. K. Tate; seconded by Lawrence L. Brown.

In regard to the water a preamble and resolutions was offered reciting the results of recent observations and providing for the enforcement of the ordinances on the subject, the process of which enforcement Council pledges itself to sustain.

—A fair will be held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. in the store formerly occupied by Valentines, Allegheny street, on the afternoons and evenings of the 27th and 28th of March. Aprons of every description, fancy articles, ice cream, cake and coffee will be sold, the proceeds of which will be used to advance the temperance work in this county. Persons donating articles are requested to send them to the residence of Mrs. John P. Harris. The members of the W. C. T. U. ask encouragement from all interested.

Loveville Locals.

Times around Loveville are dull for the reason that the "Dunkirk ore mines" have been inactive for some time past and there is no prospect of a renewal of operations in the near future. The store which is owned by your eminent townsman, Daniel Rhoads, and now under the supervision of W. H. Fink is the only place where much business is being transacted.

Mr. Sinnickson Smith has been sojourning in Loveville for a few weeks past.

Mr. B. W. Rumberger, who farms the Company's farm, has commenced work on a lime-pit. If you want to see large "ears of corn" and "big taters" call around next Fall.

Much sickness prevails in and around Loveville. Mrs. William Cole has been lying very ill for two weeks past, the Doctor having given her up twice. It is now stated that she is a little better, and we trust she may be spared to her family. Her illness is lung affection.

It is our sad duty to chronicle the death of one of Half Moon's oldest inhabitants, Mrs. Susan Miller, who had reached the venerable age of 78 years. She died on Tuesday morning, the 18th inst. Being attacked with a severe cold two weeks ago, it so wrought upon her then failing constitution as to produce a gradual decline to which she succumbed at the time above stated. She was a kind and loving mother and a dutiful and affectionate wife. Her physical sufferings were very great, but they were alleviated to a great extent by the Divine comfort which comes to those who "follow Jesus." She was always ready to give advice and counsel to others and to urge them to trust in that Saviour in whom her own hopes were placed. Always ready to obey the will of her Master, she did not fear death, but rather welcomed it as an end of earth's troubles and the beginning of a sanctified life with the redeemed, among them some of earth's dearest friends who had preceded her to a heavenly home.

In her decline she was attended by her friends whose kind and loving care for her knew no weariness. Her aged husband who still survives and all bereaved ones have the sympathy of the entire community.

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[Communicated.]

MUMBAUER.—On Sunday, the 9th inst., in Aaronsburg, after a protracted illness, Mrs. Mary Mumbauer, wife of Peter Mumbauer, deceased, and mother of Mrs. Dr. Musser, aged 79 years, 11 months and 9 days.

Mrs. Mumbauer was born in Penn township, Centre Co., Pa. Her father died when she was but four or five years old. Her mother whose maiden name was Kuhn, then returned with her two daughters, Mary and her sister, subsequently, Mrs. John Keen, of Millheim, to their former home in Bucks county, Pa. Here she resided until the subject of this obituary entered the holy state of matrimony with Mr. Peter Mumbauer. They then all returned to Penns Valley near Millheim. Mr. Mumbauer died in 1857. Since then until her death she lived in Aaronsburg, Pa. Her remains were interred in the cemetery of the Reformed church. The funeral took place on Wednesday, the 12th, at 10 o'clock. Two addresses were given on the occasion, one in German and the other in English—the former by her pastor, the latter by Rev. Z. Yearick.

—We beg leave to draw the attention of the learned Water committee of council to an apparent discrepancy in the report which they gave during the meeting on the 17th. They attempted to show that a vast quantity of water was wasted during a certain period and called particular attention to certain parties as responsible for such waste. According to the report, that extraordinary waste has ceased and yet the parties specifically pointed out are using the same quantity that they did during the period of such extraordinary waste. We make no pretentions to definite knowledge of the subject, and merely point out this apparent discrepancy in the committee's designation of the parties responsible for such waste that they may pursue their investigations still further and if their report is correct may be enabled to more clearly demonstrate that fact to an interested public.

—A Gettysburg dispatch in the Harrisburg *Patriot* informs us that Rev. M. Valentine, D. D., now President of Pennsylvania College was on Wednesday elected President of the Faculty of the Lutheran Theological Seminary in the same place, to succeed Dr. Stork, deceased. Dr. Valentine has numerous friends in Bellefonte who will be pleased to learn of this recognition of his talents in the election to a position which requires the profoundest learning and highest ability.

—Blair county is said to be solid for Blaine.

Death of Stimel B. Hewes.

The gentleman whose name is found in the title of this notice, was a native of Salem City, New Jersey, and was formerly in the employ of the firm of McCoy & Linn, near Milesburg. He married one of Benjamin Snyder's daughters while the latter was in charge of the Central City Hotel; afterward moved to Philadelphia where he was employed by the P. R. R. Company as clerk. There he gradually fell into a decline of health, which ended his mortal career on the morning of the 14th instant, at the residence of his father-in-law at Snow Shoe Intersection. He left a wife and two small boys, Harry and Frank, to mourn his departure. Mr. Hewes fell asleep in triumphant faith in Christ, with Him to rest until the first resurrection. The high esteem in which he was held as an employe of said Company was duly attested by the liberal donation tendered him by his intimate associates, which was very highly appreciated by him and his family in their hour of sorrow and need and thanks for which his bereaved wife would not fail to return to the donors. His remains were interred in the cemetery on lands of Jos. Alexander, deceased, east of Unionville, and were accompanied to the grave by a large cortege. Mr. Snyder, his father-in-law, did all he could to attend to the necessities of the mourning family. Rev. J. Zeigler conducted the obsequies.

—The fair and festival to be given by the members of the W. C. T. U. on Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings of this week will be a very attractive place of resort for all. The fancy articles to be displayed will be beautiful and novel and just what everybody wants. Persons can find something that they may need themselves or something suitable to present to a friend. The ice cream, cake and other refreshments will be of the choicest description, and peculiarly acceptable just now when Spring fever prevails to an alarming extent, for which ice cream and cake and social enjoyment are pronounced by physicians to be the only cure. Then help the ladies in their efforts to replenish their exchequer. Remember the place: The vacant store room in Humes' block on Allegheny street.

—A gentleman who just returned from a trip over the line of the Beech Creek railroad informs us that recent high water in Beech Creek washed away numerous bridges and interfered with the progress of the road which otherwise would have been completed as far as Howard by this time.

—Bangs have not entirely gone out of style. We saw a fine display of them on Wednesday that reminded us of the falls of Niagara and set off superbly a pair of bright eyes which in their "liquid depths" might resemble Niagara river.

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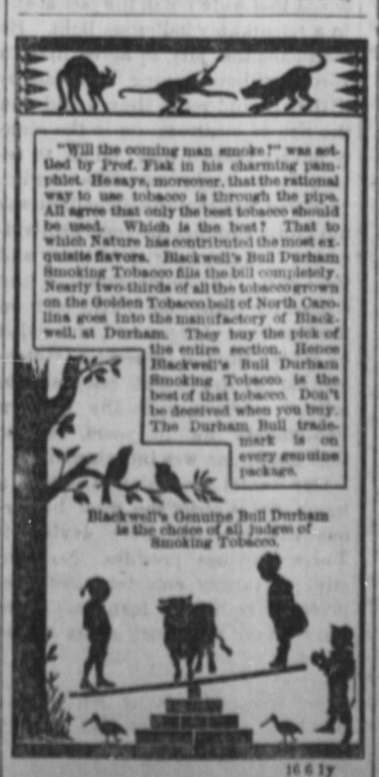
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Local Department.

—Garden cleaning time is almost here.

—The first car load of rails for the new railroad has arrived at Spring Mills.

—The Millheim borough council is attempting to enforce its ordinances against profanity.

—Let Republicans all over the county go to the delegate election on Saturday, April 5.

—There are robbers on the Seven Mountains, a peddler named Samuel E. Goldman being relieved recently of $36 by an individual of that description.

—The Brush Valley people are agitating the subject of building a railroad through Miles township. If this is done Madisonburg expects to become the metropolis of the valley.

—Simon Harper, of Centre Hall, is again about to embark in the mercantile business. He will be associated with Mr. W. H. Kramer, of Centre Mills, who will move to Centre Hall for that purpose.

—The complete programme of a musical entertainment to be given at Jacksonville on the evening of March 28, for the benefit of the Presbyterian church of that place, is printed in another column.

—Electric light is being put in all the offices in the Court House and if there are any "irregularities" in progress up there the brilliant flood of electricity will probably reveal it to investigators.

—The borough, or Steam Heating Company, or somebody might put the tramps to work in leveling off the streets. They are in a deplorable condition and the tramps are in great need of work.

—There is a good prospect that the Pennsylvania Furnace as well as the ore mines which are in that vicinity will soon be put in operation. Work in the ore mines ceased last fall, and the resumption of operations will be hailed with pleasure.

—Mr. Abram Valentine and family will move into the pleasant stone residence near Valentines' Ironworks now occupied by Mr. Amos Mullen, who will hereafter occupy the frame dwelling house on Bishop street just vacated by Dr. Swartz.

—In Ed Garman's anxiety to secure a seat near the ladies he might at least take time to see how many hats are on the seat that are not capable of supporting his weight. Please don't mash the hats, even if you do mash the female hearts. At least, Will Brew is of that opinion.

—It is rumored that the jury in the Hutchison vs. Meek assault and battery case, on Thursday evening, was bribed and that Associate Judge Spangler tampered with it more than the law allows. Exception was also taken to the extraneous matter which Judge Hastings introduced into his charge.

—Mr. John Hull, an aged man living near Valentines' Ironworks, died on Tuesday morning, the 18th, and was buried on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He was almost 91 years of age and was a veteran of the war of 1812. He had been very feeble for several years past, but his last severe illness dated only from about three days previous to his death.

—After such a perfect day as Saturday last the angry clouds and pouring rain of Sunday caused a great revulsion of feeling against the Weather Bureau at Washington. If that department of the civil service can't give us a comparatively respectable Sunday once in a while we shall conclude that there is some foundation for the cry of "civil service reform."

—There seems to be no special effort being made to make the delegate elections a popular success by by the men who should attend to it. But let the people see to the matter themselves and be at the polls on Saturday, April 5th. If no election board is ready to receive votes organize one and elect the delegates. These delegates elected by the popular vote will be admitted to the convention.

—Mr. J. B. Hahn, the gentlemanly representative of Simmons & Company, dealers in plug tobaccos and manufacturers of fine cigars, frequently visits Centre county and always succeeds in transacting a large amount of business for the firm, which is located at 408, Market Street, Philadelphia. If all the wholesale houses were represented by such able gentlemen as Mr. H. their sales would increase to immense proportions.

A Mock Trial Conducted by the Literary Society.

To say that the mock trial that was conducted under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. literary society Thursday evening was a complete success is stating the fact but faintly. The intense earnestness of District Attorney Francis Speer, the careful efforts of the attorney for the defense Wilmer Crow, the splendid wit and judicial acumen of His Honor Judge Hastings, and the interference of Associate Judge J. L. Spangler were the chief factors in producing the happy result, though all performed their parts well. Ed Richards was the second Associate Judge, while that young Irishman, Senator Ochiltree Orbison assisted the district attorney, and J. N. Klein, with the aid of a white ministerial neck-tie, assisted in the defense. Will Keller was the prothonotary, Morris Swartz court crier and Charley Rhone tip-stave. The indictment was one brought by a little man named Thomas Hutchison who, while in a state of beastly intoxication as the result of visiting Frank Blair's jewelry store and eating,—all himself—five cents worth of Sands' candy, was assaulted and battered with a cabbage stalk (which was called a rod by some probably because it was 5½ yards long), by a stalwart young man named George R. Meek. Of course, the indictment was only for assault and battery, and the above particulars were elicited by the trial. Before we proceed to give further attention to the trial permit us to state that the hall was crowded by an attentive and highly enthusiastic audience, nearly one-half of whom were ladies, and that place never before resounded with so much merriment and fun as on this occasion. Such a boisterous, uproarous, highly delighted court and spectators we never even imagined before.

The jury was a very miscellaneous one, composed of all ages and all conditions. We won't give their names because we don't remember all. Several witnesses were examined, and in some particulars their testimony was directly contradictory. But it could be gathered from the evidence that Meek, the defendant, was the editor of a paper which contained allusions that aroused Hutchison's ire and caused the latter to use insulting remarks about Meek and his paper. Then the fight followed, taking place in the alley near the residence of the prosecutor, on Bishop street, on the night of March 13. Whether Hutchison was painfully hurt or not it is at least certain that he recovered from all evidences of injury very quickly. The rulings of the Court were so frequently against the witnesses for the prosecution and the objections of District Attorney Speer were so frequently overruled that it at one time seemed probable that the Court would be disgraced by a personal encounter between that gentleman and the Judge.

The District Attorney was fined $5 for contempt of Court which he paid like a man. It is very evident that Associate Judge Spangler figured prominently as a witness behind the scenes during the trial and was entirely too intimate with the jury while that body was agreeing upon a verdict.

When the testimony (rebutter and *Sarah Butter*, according to Hastings) was all in the council addressed the jury. District Attorney Speer's speech was one of slander and vituperation against the opposing council and gross misrepresentation of the pugilistic capabilities of the prosecutor and defendant. Then, with the eloquence of a Demosthenes and the grace of a Chesterfield, he plead for justice for his client and asked that the most condign punishment be visited on the defendant.

The Judge's charge brought out all the points in the case, (and about a dozen that were not in the case at all), in a remarkably ludicrous light. He instructed the jury to agree upon a verdict without leaving their seats, or if they should retire they would run the risk of incarceration in the county jail six years if they failed to return in five minutes. The verdict rendered was that the defendant was not guilty and that the costs be divided between the District Attorney and the Court. The Judge, however, first shifted the Court's half of the costs on the Associate Judges and concluded by sentencing the prosecutor (Hutchison) to pay the Court's costs and to solitary confinement in the Western Penitentiary for 18 years, because that gentleman was intoxicated.

Our mental conclusions are that a mock trial is about the most humorous entertainment ever devised if Judge Hastings presides. No minstrel or variety entertainment ever given in Bellefonte furnished more fun than did the mock court of last night.

—A new roof is being put on the fine brick residence of Mrs. Livingstone on Spring street.

Proceedings of Methodist Conference at Williamsport.

Following dispatch is from Williamsport to the Altoona *Tribune*, of this morning. Our M. E. readers find it interesting:

WILLIAMSPORT, March 22.—The second ballot in the laymen's electoral conference resulted in the election of H. T. Ames, of this city, as the second delegate to the general conference. The whole result therefore stands: Lay delegates, Wilbur F Sadler, of Carlisle; H. T. Ames, of Williamsport. Reserves, Hon. John Patton, of Curwensville; George W. Hipple, of Lock Haven. The two delegates are lawyers and both are devoted to the interests of Methodism.

In the afternoon an interesting meeting of the conference took place in the newly furnished chapel of Dickinson seminary. The founder of the institution, Rev. B. H. Crever, D. D., presided. Addresses were made by Dr. Gray, Rev. Jean Paul Cooke, of France, Rev. Dr. Tiffany, General John A. Wright, of Philadelphia, General John Patton and Rev. I. H. Torrence. After the addresses, which were inspiring and and admirable, the guests of the occasion were invited to inspect the corridors and rooms, of the new gymnasium.

At night Rev. Dr. O. H. Tiffany delivered before a great audience his lecture on "Moses and Modern Civilization." The production was an eloquent portrayal of the life, character and work of the great law giver of Isreal.

The third ballot in the conference this morning resulted in the choice of the following delegates to the general conference: Rev. E. H. Yocum, Rev. J. H. McGarrah, Rev. E. J. Gray, D. D. Reserves, Rev. M. L. Smyser, and Rev. W. A. Houck.

The following were admitted upon trial: Alexander Lamberson, Samuel J. Wilson, James F. Glass, Rollins S. Taylor, Bruce Hughes, Darwin F Stiles, Marion J. Stiles, Albert R. Lambert.

The following were elected to local deacon's orders; J. L. Mussina, Jr., James F. Glass, John Beisline, George M. Klepfer, Joseph A. Knisely. James A. Patton was elected to local elder's orders.

The lay electoral conference at 11 o'clock, a. m., appeared, and took seats in front of the bishop, one hundred and twenty-five in all, a fine looking body of men. Mr. H. E. Sutherland, of Hazleton, president of the lay conference, made a few appropriate remarks. He asked in behalf of the laity a closer affiliation, a more intimate connection with the annual and general conference. Mr. W. F. Sadler and Mr. H. T. Ames, the lay delegates made brief addresses. The bishop replied in a felicitous way in behalf of the clerical conference, expressing his confidence in the ability, the loyalty and the wisdom of the membership of the church. A stanza was sung with great fervor, of the hymn "The Home of the Soul."

Hon. John Patton was called out and in a manly, earnest, tender address touched every heart and awakened much enthusiasm.

The report on Dickinson college was then taken up, the main feature of it being the proposition to endow a "Central Pennsylvania conference professorship" with a gift of $40,000, to be commenced this year. Dr. McCauley, president of the college, made a brief address introducing Mr. Wilbur F. Sadler, one of the most efficient of the trustees of the institution, who made an earnest plea for the movement which the report had brought forward. He laid emphasis on the great opportunity now set before the church by the growth and progress and hopeful outlook of the college. He defined the splendid territory, the efficient faculty, the new friends lately won by the college, as grounds for his belief that the institution was entering upon a new career of greatness, and that its second century of labor would be fruitful and mighty beyond the power of man to depict it.

—Mr. Riley Pratt, of Unionville, was in this vicinity last week visiting our merchants in the interest of Jones, Bechtel & Sheibley, of No 514 Market st., Philadelphia. He is a first class salesman and usually succeeds in inducing our merchants to make large purchases of hosiery, notions, white goods, etc. He is also a pleasant gentlemen and has numerous relatives and friends in Centre. Consequently, he is always welcome socially, irrespective of his business capacity.

—The manager of the Western Union Telegraph Office in Bellefonte is very glad there is a register communication between his establishment and the composing room of the Bellefonte *Republican* office. It is so thoroughly enjoyable to pass *billet-doux* back and forth and there is a world of sentiment even in a broken type if a fair compositor is the sender.

W. C. T. U. Work.

Some time ago an account was given in the town papers of the work done by the W. C. T. U. of Bellefonte in organizing Unions throughout this county.

Since then some further work has been done, of which we think our temperance friends will be glad to hear.

On 6th of March a Union was organized among the women of the A. M. E. church, the results of which have been especially encouraging. The members have shown a lively interest from the first, immediately reporting themselves to the National Union and becoming a part of that body.

They have organized a Band of Hope among the children, which is in a flourishing condition.

We cannot refrain from expressing our gratification at the efficient manner in which the Colored Day School of Bellefonte is conducted under the management of their teacher, Miss Shepherd.

The comfortable and cheerful appearance of the school room, the good deportment of the scholars, and the general tone of earnestness and thorough work are very perceptible.

Temperance instruction has been introduced into this, as well as the other schools of the town, and the reports of our committees which have visited this school are particularly gratifying upon this point.

The list of books given to the other schools are too advanced for the pupils, in the majority of cases. A new book has now been introduced and we hope the results will be more satisfactory.

On 21st of March a union was organized at Valentine's Forge, which gives promise of the same good results.

Reports from the unions throughout the county everywhere show an awakened interest. Centre Hall, the only place visited in the winter in which a union was not formed, now sends us word that they are about to organize.

Thus our work goes on—quietly but we hope thoroughly. The seeds thus sown are ripening into an abundant harvest. All over the United States the better sentiment of the people is being aroused. Public opinion is being welded into a compact mass, which soon will be irresistible. Let not Centre county be behind in this noble work.

Male and Female Tramps.

Tramps, male and female, are numerous in Bellefonte. On Saturday, the 15th, a man and woman, representing themselves to be husband and wife, stopped at a residence in this place and the man asked permission for himself and wife to enter stating that his wife was consumptive They were accordingly bidden by the male head of the household to enter. The strangers stated that a year ago in Cleveland, Ohio, they were in good circumstances, but that the husband had been without work all winter which induced them to pack up their furniture and come to Altoona where the husband expected to secure employment. Failing in this, they came as far as Bellefonte on their way to Williamsport. On Monday their host, to whom they were entire strangers, accompanied the man to a paint store in Bellefonte and obtained work for him at the painting business, which, he stated, was his trade. The host also volunteered to keep them without recompense for a week, on consideration that the woman would help his wife with the household work. But the tramp said that he did not want his wife to work. Consequently, their hostess told them they should leave, which they did. As the man failed to put in appearance at the paint store, it is probable that he and his wife are still tramping around in search of pastures new. That family have not given tramps any more encouragement since the departure of the man and woman.

But of course tramps are usually men and at least one-half of them are foreigners who can speak just enough English to make known that they want something to eat, or some money and that they can get no work. It is well to refuse all such applicants, or if you have some work for them to do just test their willingness to labor by offering them a little of it.

—Following paragraph from the Renovo correspondence of the L. H. *Evening Express* gives additional particulars regarding the manner in which Edward McQuillen was killed: "Edward McQuillen, a brakeman living on Eleventh street, was killed on Friday near Johnsonburg. While standing on a refrigerator car he was knocked off by the Rochester and Pittsburg bridge. He lived an hour after the accident and his remains were brought to Renovo last night on Erie Mail."

[Communicated.]

To the Editor of the Daily News:

In your notice of the removal of trees by Mr. Green from his grounds, you are more complimentary than generous in giving my opinions such prominence.

But since the matter of the removal of fir trees, Alpine cedars, cypress, etc., from private lawns by Mr. Mann, Mr. Green, myself and others has come in for so much kindly criticism, by our good neighbors, permit me to say that it is a mistake to classify trees of that species as "ornamental trees" They are, I think, never planted or cherished as such, but simply as shade trees, and in our strong limestone soil the shade produced is so dense as to destroy the grass and give the atmosphere near them a mouldy and unwholesome odor.

This class of trees are indigenous to the mountains, where by reason of their color and rugged surroundings, they may be said to be beautiful, but when transferred to lawns, of a different hue of green, you destroy the beauty of both mountain and lawn.

Moreover, this species of tree is the most melancholy of any we plant, and throughout the Orient, and largely so in Europe, they mark the "campo santo," "the Father's seat," "God's acre," or, as we express it, "the cemetery," which custom has even extended to our own cemetery.

Very truly,

JAMES MILLIKEN,

Bellefonte, March 21, '84

Death of Edward McQuillen.

On Friday afternoon, the shocking intelligence was received in this place of the sudden death of Mr. Edward McQuillen, formerly a resident of Bellefonte and now living in Renovo. Mr. McQuillen was a brakeman on the railroad and while the train was moving rapidly a short distance above Renovo he fell from the top of a box car among some rocks at the side of the track receiving injuries which quickly resulted in his death.

Mr. McQuillen's mother resides in this place and the body of deceased was brought here on Saturday evening for burial. He was married about a year ago to a young lady residing in this county, and had located in Renovo. He has two brothers, James and William, and also one or two sisters. He was about 22 years of age. His sudden death is a severe blow to all his surviving relatives.

The funeral of deceased took place on Monday afternoon at two o'clock from the Catholic church of which he was a member.

—Mr. George P. Bible, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends in this vicinity. He was in town Monday morning but took the 10 a. m. train for Romola, where he will give some elocutionary exercises at the closing entertainment of a school. Mr. Bible is now in the employment of the American Galvanic Company with headquarters in Philadelphia. His uncle is the President and principal manager of the company. He has continued his studies in elocution since his departure from Bellefonte two years ago and has given numerous public readings. He is also engaged with the Star Lecture Bureau in Philadelphia, and expects to have a larger proportion of his time occupied in giving elocutionary exercises hereafter than in the past. He is particularly fortunate in securing the engagement with the Star Lecture Bureau and was received in competition with many other applicants on his superior merits. He will remain in this vicinity several days and has kindly consented to read for the Boys' Branch of Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening, the 31st.

Death of Benjamin F. Crain.

We have heretofore alluded briefly to the death of Mr. Benj. F. Crain, who resides a mile east of Pennsylvania Furnace in Ferguson township. On Friday we received a call from the deceased gentleman's son, Mr. Wilson Crain, who informed us that his father was ill only four days and that he breathed his last on the afternoon of Friday, the 14th. He was exactly 70 years old at the time of his death, which occurred on his birthday. He leaves behind him five children, two sons and three daughters. By these surviving children and also by numerous friends who knew him well his departure will be generally mourned. But there is the blessed assurance to those who live faithful in this life that reunion with those who have gone before will surely follow.

—Permit us to inform the learned Water committee of council that the extraordinary *waste* of water in the *Republican* office has been stopped and if there is any future scarcity of Adam's ale it will be due to other causes than the one so recently discovered. We are greatly surprised that the reservoir did not overflow and flood the town on Thursday evening, so suddenly was the enormous waste checked.

Personal Pencilings.

Mr. Rine is putting a new roof on his residence on Thomas street.

Mr. John Orndorf, of Brush Valley, is about moving to Millheim.

Major Wm. F. Reynolds is making preparations to erect a handsome residence.

J. A. Holloway, of Aaronsburg, will soon move to Browntown, Green Co., Wisconsin.

Mr. Vandkye, the famous railroad contractor, was in Bellefonte Thursday evening.

Mr. Chas. A. Everett and family started for the West on the 5 o'clock on Thursday.

Mr. Simon Harper is now in the city purchasing goods for his new store in Centre Hall.

Mr. Harry Confer, of Millheim, has sold his fine homestead in that place to Mr. Philip S. Meyer.

It is probable that Rev. Geo. Penepacker will be assigned to the First M. E. church of Altoona.

Mr. Hiram Ray, brother of S. D. Ray, Esq., has gone to Hublersburg to remain during the summer.

—The attorneys for the prosecution of the Hutchison vs. Meek assault and battery case threaten to apply for a new trial.

Mr. Charles Griest, of Unionville, is quite ill with consumption. Mr. Griest is a soldier and a much respected citizen.

Mr. Samuel Foust, of Centre Mills, is slowly recovering from his recent terrible injuries and is able to walk out occasionally.

Mrs. Benjamin Housel, a respected resident of this place, is quite ill and seems to be sinking daily, despite the best efforts of her numerous friends.

Mr. John A. Irvin, of Clearfield, is officiating behind the counter in the Bee Hive Stores. John is single and good-looking.

Miss Pollsgrove, a charming young lady from Philipsburg, is the guest of the Misses Devling, daughters of Joseph Devling, Esq.

Mr. J. N. Klein says that to describe him as a lawyer with a clerical necktie is equivalent to pronouncing him a wolf in sheep's clothing.

Mr. Frank Musser returned on Tuesday, the 18th, from a trip to the West. He has been away from home quite a long time and was well pleased with his western experience.

Mr. Cal. Brachbill and family have returned from Curwensville to reside permanently in Bellefonte. Cal. will enter into partnership with his brother in the old established furniture business in this place, his father retiring from the firm.

Mr. Peter Shultz, of Houserville, accompanied Mr. Chas. A. Everett to the West on Thursday. The two gentlemen will spend almost the entire Summer surveying the broad land that extends toward the setting sun. Mr. S., however, promises to return in time to vote.

Miss Eva Musser arrived home from Jersey Shore on the 5 o'clock p. m. train on Wednesday, March 19. She was met at the train by Mr. Edgar Swartz, and escorted to Dr. Swartz' residence. Miss Eva looks even more attractive than when she departed, from which we conclude that her visit in Jersey Shore was a very pleasant one.

Rev. Mr. Bell, of Pennfield, Clearfield county, preached in the Presbyterian church in this place on Sunday to large and well pleased congregations. His sermons were very fine and were listened to with great interest. He is quite a young man, but is studious, scholarly and able, and there seems to be a future of great usefulness before him.

—The articles to be donated to the W. C. T. U. fair and festival should be sent to the residence of Mrs. John P. Harris as early as possible. Don't forget this, ladies. Everybody is asked to send something.

—Some of the country schools will close in a few days.

MARRIED.

SMITH—RISHEL.—On the 12th of March, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. W. E. Fischer, Mr. Ezra Smith, of Dakota, Stephenson County, Ill., (formerly of Penn Hall), and Miss Rosetta Rishel, of Farmer's Mills, Pa.

SHOPE—M'KINNEY.—At the M. E. parsonage, Snow Shoe, March 16, by Rev. M. L. Jackson, Constans Shope, of Roland, Centre Co., and Miss Anna L. McKinney, of Tyrone, Blair Co., Pa.

BENDER—HENGST.—On the 12th instant, at Millheim, Pa., by Rev. Benj. Hengst, Rev. Harry A. Bender, of the Central Penn's Conference, Evangelical Association, and Miss Annie L. Hengst, only daughter of the officiating minister.

DIED.

McCLOSKEY.—On the 8th inst., at Mt. Eagle, Centre County, Pa., William R., little son of Mathias and Martha McCloskey, aged 4 years, 8 months and 10 days.

It is hard to be resigned to God's will, but when we remember—

"There is no flock however watched and tended,
But one dead lamb is there;
There is no fireside howsoe'er defended
But has one vacant chair."

Then we feel that we are not alone in our distress. D. G. L.